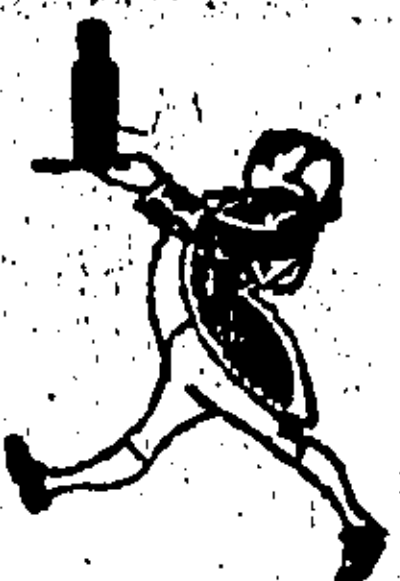


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THIRTY REASONS FOR DRINKING.

Some drink because they're hungry, some drink when they are dry;
Some drink to keep themselves in health, some drink for fear they'll die;
And some drink because they are too hot; some drink because they're cold;
Some drink to strengthen them when young, and some when they are old;
Some drink to keep themselves awake; some drink to gain deep sleep;
Some drink because they're happy; while others because they weep;
Some drink to celebrate some gain; some drink to mourn a loss;
Some take a shot when they are pleased; some drink because they're cross;
Some take a snort when they're at work; some drink when they're at play;
Some count it right to drink at night; some drink alone at day;
Some tip the glass for fellowship; some sneak it on the sly;
Some drink when they are wringing wet; some drink because they're dry;
Some take a shot of liquor when they make a bargain rare;
Some take a drink when they've been stung for the drinks, the feed and fare;
Some drink in search of pleasure; some drink to dim a pain;
Some say it's good, some say it's bad, but never once refrain;
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DIARY OF LOCAL EVENTS.

TO-DAY.

(August 25.)

Meeting of Theosophical Society, 6 p.m.

Meeting of the Hong Kong Union Church Committee, in the Church Hall.

Oriental Theatre: "Shadow of the Law."

King's Theatre: "The Mischiefing Lady."

Star Theatre: "Man in Possession."

Queen's Theatre: "Tell England."

World Theatre: "Hold Everything."

Central Theatre: "Murders in the Rue Morgue."

Majestic Theatre: "Heaven on Earth."

Tea Dance at King's Restaurant; Dinner Dances at Peninsula and Hong Kong Hotels and King's Restaurant.

Miscellaneous:—Whist Drive Police Recreation Club, Happy Valley, 9.30 p.m.

Tides:—High at 2.00; Low at 10.30.

FRIDAY.

(August 26.)

Meetings: Hong Kong Engineering and Construction Co., Ltd., 3 p.m.; Hockey Club Secretaries at Volunteer Headquarters; Extraordinary General, C.C.C., 6.30 p.m.; Hong Kong Practical Psychology Club, Lane, Crawford's, 8 p.m.

Miscellaneous:—Service Men's Launch-Tea Bathing Party and water Sports. Launch leaves Queen's Pier, 3 p.m.; Whist drive, H.M.S. Tamar, 8.45 p.m.

Central Theatre: "To-night or Never."

King's Theatre: "The Mischiefing Lady."

Queen's Theatre: "Tell England."

Oriental Theatre: "Shadow of the Law."

World Theatre: "Hold Everything."

Star Theatre: "Man in Possession."

Majestic Theatre: "Heaven on Earth."

Garden Theatre: "The Love Parade."

Tea Dance at King's Restaurant; Dinner Dances at Hong Kong Hotel, Peninsula Hotel and King's Restaurant.

Tides:—High at 02.53; Low at 12.05.

Home Mail:—Inward from America by Pres. Jefferson; Outward for America and Europe via Siberia by Empress of Japan, 10 a.m.

SATURDAY.

(August 27.)

Lawn Bowls.—Senior Division: Kowloon Docks v. Civil Service, Craigengower v. Recreation, Police v. Kowloon C.C., Tai Koo, R.C. v. Kowloon B.G.C.; Junior Division: Club de Recreation v. Craigengower, Civil Service v. Hong Kong Electric, Kowloon C.C. v. Yacht Club, Kowloon B.G.C. v. Tai Koo.

Shooting.—Hong Kong Rifle Club Open Meet. (Kowloon Tong), 2.30 p.m.

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FACTS ABOUT THE UNITED STATES TRADE SLUMP

DIVIDENDS PASSED OR REDUCED: BANK FAILURES.

MILLIONAIRES REDUCED TO PENURY.

London.—Even in the midst of preoccupation with domestic politics the United States is able only momentarily to forget the economic crisis, says the New York correspondent of the Manchester Guardian. Currency hoarding has again started, amounting to something like \$200,000,000 during the past fortnight. This is due chiefly, it is believed, to the developments in the Chicago area.

Just on the eve of the Democratic National Convention more than twenty banks failed in Chicago in the course of a single week-end. They were all fairly small banks, and they failed because of local difficulties, the decline in the value of real estate and of securities deposited with them as surety for loans. However, their failure resulted in runs on half a dozen of the city's biggest banks, in the "Loop" area, the business district. While the delegates to the Democratic Convention were assembling mounted policemen were herding thousands of panic-stricken bank depositors waiting in the streets to draw out their funds. Money was hurried in from numerous sources, and all demands were met in full and with cash. Had this not been done there is no telling where the situation might have gone.

Next to the Chicago situation the chief depressant in the business community has been the long series of corporations which have reduced or omitted their semi-annual June dividends. The Lackawanna Railroad, the American Smelting and Refining Company, the Borden Milk Company, the Curtis Publishing Company, the Aetna Life Insurance Company, the General Tire and Rubber Company, the Public Service Corporation of New Jersey, the Electric Power and Light Corporation are only a few names on the long list of those which have reflected declining earnings by passed or reduced dividends.

Theatres and Cinemas Hit.

Minor casualties of the depression are so numerous that I could fill an entire issue of the Manchester Guardian with their catalogue. I will name only a few:

The Roxy Theatre, one of New York's newest and largest palaces of the cinema, with 6,000 seats, has just closed its doors. It may re-open in the autumn, although as to this there is some doubt, and a summer closing for a cinema is unusual.

Queen's Theatre: "Tell England."

Central Theatre: "To-night or Never."

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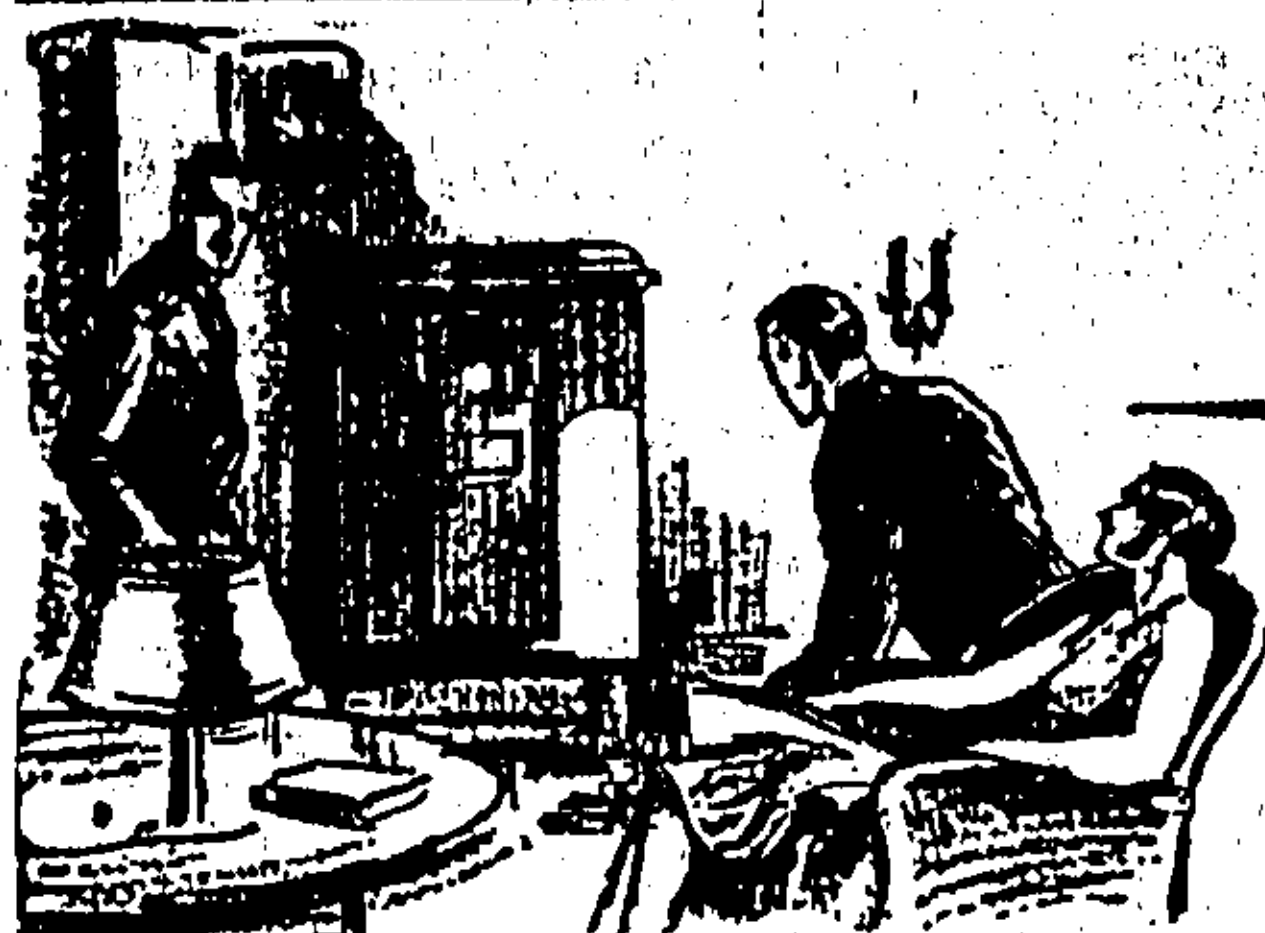
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RADIO FEATURES



HULL AND GRIMSBY TRAWLERS.

FITTING WIRELESS TELEPHONES.

Having regard to the decision of the Post Office to fit a number of coast stations with wireless telephone installations, it is interesting to note that there has been great activity recently in the docks at Hull and Grimsby in the fitting of wireless telephone equipment in trawlers. No fewer than 45 of these Marconi installations have been completed for various owners within the last few weeks, providing facilities for the skippers to talk to other trawlers and with the land wireless telephone stations as easily as they can speak on the telephone on shore.

It is of the great value in these competitive times for trawler owners to equip their fleets with wireless and the small wireless telephony equipments which have specially been developed by the Marconi Company to meet the conditions met with on trawlers enables the ships to keep in touch with one another and thus exchange useful information in regard to fishing operations. The Regulations permit these equipments to be operated by the skipper so that no expense is involved in carrying a special operator.

Three wireless telephony shore stations already exist on the British Coasts with which trawlers can exchange messages. These facilities are to be greatly extended in the near future until a complete chain of eleven will thus be in continuous touch with their ships and important information can be exchanged relating to the amount of the catch and state of the markets.

Much information is now broadcast is of value to the fishing industry and the Marconi equipment is sufficiently flexible to allow broadcasting stations to be tuned in on the trawler receivers without the necessity of separate receivers stations.

ATLANTIC COASTS AND GULF LIGHTS.

For the information of mariners navigating the United States waters along the Atlantic and Gulf coasts, and including American territory in the West Indies, the Lighthouse Service of the Department of Commerce has just issued a revised light list for the Atlantic Coast, containing complete information regarding all the lighted aids to navigation and fog signals.

Approximately 500 changes have been made since last year.

Important advances in the provision of radio beacon protection to shipping are indicated since last year, no fewer than 44 radio beacons being listed.

RADIO BEACONS ON THE GREAT LAKES.

The establishment of 32 radio beacons at lighthouses and lightships on the Great Lakes within the comparatively short period of nine years is recorded in the latest edition of the Great Lakes Radio Beacon Chart, just issued by the U.S. Lighthouse Service, and the opinion is expressed that these stations have now reached a point where they afford very ample protection to shipping in this area.

MARINE INSURANCE RATES.

IN HUDSON BAY TRADE. FURTHER CONCESSIONS.

The importance of wireless direction finding in connection with navigation in the Hudson Bay is again emphasised in the third report of the Imperial Shipping Committee on Hudson Bay Marine Insurance Rates which has just been issued.

This report announces that the Joint Hull Committee has agreed to a further reduction of the additional premium charged on ships trading into Hudson Bay provided these ships are fitted with wireless direction finders and gyro compasses. Last year the additional rate charged was 30s. per cent. on the insured value, plus 2s. per ton on the gross registered tonnage, with the proviso that this rate applied only to ships fitted with wireless direction finding apparatus.

This year the additional rate is to be 40s. per cent. on the insured value plus 2s. per ton on the gross registered tonnage, but to obtain this reduction ships must be equipped with a gyro compass in addition to wireless direction finding apparatus.

The demand for gyro compasses is due to the difficulties which have been experienced with the magnetic compass between Charles Island and Churchill, and particularly between Charles Island and Coats Island and in the approach to Churchill.

The Committee refers to the successful completion, last year, of the first two commercial voyages

to Churchill by the steamships "Farnworth" and "Warkworth," and remarks that the records of these two voyages, together with the reports furnished by Captain Mount, the Master of the "Farnworth," comprise a valuable addition to the existing knowledge of the navigation conditions along the Hudson Bay route.

Complete Wireless Direction Finding Facilities.

The three principal factors, they say, to be taken into account in considering navigation conditions along this route are ice, fog, and the behaviour of the magnetic compass. According to the observations of the direction finding station at Churchill, the harbour was free from ice from June 24th until November 6th, when ice first began to form on Churchill River. From verbal evidence obtained from Captain Mount, the Committee reached the conclusion that navigation in the Bay and Strait offers no particular difficulties apart from fog and magnetic disturbances.

At every point along the route it is possible to obtain cross bearings from the direction finding stations established by the Canadian Government, and in his report Captain Mount pays tribute to the excellent and accurate bearings given by these stations which supply bearings and also reports on ice and weather conditions free of charge.

In regard to fog, in the open season it would appear that this occurs in relatively small areas which may envelop a ship as a rule for not more than two or three hours. If the ship lays to at such times it is not likely that she will drift into any danger even though

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BRITISH RADIO BOOM

RECORD SALES AT OLYMPIA

(BRITISH WIRELESS SERVICE.)

Ruohy, Aug. 23. RECORD sales are announced by British radio manufacturers participating in the exhibition at Olympia.

One firm states that orders have been received for all they can produce during the next eight months, while another claims that last year's record has been beaten and business will probably be doubled. A third has engaged an additional staff of seven hundred men to cope with the orders.

SHIP-TO-SHORE WIRELESS TELEPHONY.

"The Times" Correspondent at Trieste reports having had a telephone call from the Italian steamer "Conte Rosso" from the Red Sea as a demonstration of the success of the Marconi Duplex wireless telephony apparatus for which this long distance ship has been equipped.

On the same occasion an Italian reporter on board sent a 3,000 word message to his newspaper.

It is understood that a regular commercial telephone service from the "Conte Rosso" will be inaugurated during its next trip.

The Marconi wireless telephone installation on the "Conte Rosso" is similar to that which has operated with such success on the Canadian Pacific liner "Empress of Britain," and which was at the disposal of delegates to the Ottawa Conference when they travelled from England to Canada in July. Another similar installation has also been giving good service for some years on the White Star liner "Homeric."

she be in a region in which the magnetic compass is not quite reliable. Moreover, in such circumstances a ship will always be able to fix her position by cross bearings from two direction finding stations, although, unless equipped with a gyro compass she will not be able to steer a course.

Difficulties With the Magnetic Compass.

In regard to difficulties experienced with the magnetic compass, Captain Mount expresses the opinion that they are apparently only of serious importance in two regions, the first between Charles Island and Coats Island and the second in the approach to Churchill, and, in fact, the inability to steer an accurate course is not of vital importance in clear weather since the vessel's position can be checked from time to time by cross bearings from the wireless stations.

A vessel equipped with a gyro compass and wireless direction finding apparatus should have no trouble in maintaining a proper course the whole way from Charles Island to Churchill.

The effect of the reduction in rates notified in this report will be that whereas a vessel of 5,000 gross registered tons valued at £10 a ton would, last season, have had to pay approximately £1,750 by way of additional premium, she will, provided she fulfils the necessary requirements have to pay some £250 less in the coming season.

BALTIC RADIO BEACON CONFERENCE.

A conference between representatives of the countries bordering the Baltic has just been held at Stockholm to consider questions relating to wireless beacon services. In a communique issued at the conclusion of the Conference, it was stated that decisions and recommendations were made on the lines of those adopted at the conference of lighthouse authorities bordering the North Sea and the English Channel, held at Trinity House, London, in April, 1931.

At the Baltic Conference complete agreement was reached that the principles adopted at the Trinity House Conference should be the basis of the development of wireless beacons in Baltic water.

The participating nations submitted their respective radio beacon programmes to the conference and negotiations are now proceeding with the object of co-ordinating the separate systems into a uniform system covering the Baltic, Kattegat and Skagerrack water.

The principal questions are those relating to arrangements of beacons in groups according to their wavelengths, tone pitches and transmitting times.

NAVIGATION ON THE NORTH ATLANTIC COASTS.

ALTERATION IN WIRELESS BEACON WAVELENGTHS.

With the object of increasing the effectiveness of both Canadian and U.S. aids to navigation along the North Atlantic coasts, changes have been made in the frequency on which certain wireless beacon stations operate, according to a recent report of the Lighthouse Service of the United States Department of Commerce.

In co-operation with the Canadian Department of Marine the United States Lighthouse Service has worked out a frequency schedule affecting stations on the Maine coast which will greatly lessen interference.

This new arrangement, providing a wider separation of frequency between the neighbouring Canadian and United States stations, will greatly facilitate the taking of bearings by navigators; and vessels, even when midway between a United States and a Canadian station, will be able to tune in on but one beacon at a time, thus securing accurate bearings for navigational purposes.

The detailed changes are the alteration of the frequencies of the Mount Desert Rock lighthouse, the Portland Lightship, and West Quoddy Head, Me., to 262 kilocycles, 1,027 metres, and the synchronisation of the Larcher Shoal Lightship and Seal Island Lightship, the two Canadian stations concerned, on a frequency of 310 kilocycles, 968 metres.

9.30 to 10 p.m.—A relay of the band of the 1st Batin. South Wales Borderers, conducted by Bandmaster Gecks, from the Officer's Mess, Murray Barracks, by courtesy of the Officer Commanding.

10 p.m.—Rugby mid-day Press news.

10.15 to 11.30 p.m.—Chinese programme.

11.30 p.m.—Close down.

All records in the above European programmes are supplied by Messrs. Anderson Music Co.

TO-DAY'S WIRELESS PROGRAMME.

BROADCAST BY Z.B.W. ON 355 METRES.

11 to 11.30 a.m.—Stock quotations.

11.30 a.m.—Chinese programme.

12.30 p.m.—European programme of Columbia records.

1 p.m.—Local time and weather report.

1.30 p.m.—Rugby Press news, etc.

2 p.m.—Close down.

6 to 8 p.m.—European programme.

5 to 6 p.m.—A relay of the Hong Kong Hotel Orchestra by courtesy of the management.

(During the intervals recorded music will be broadcast from the Studio.)

6 to 8 p.m.—A programme of Columbia records.

6 to 6.17 p.m.—"The Two Pigeons" (Messenger).—Band of the Garde Republicaine of France.—9647/9648.

6.17 to 6.52 p.m.—

A Concert.

Song—"Sea Wrack" (O'Neill and Hamilton Harty).—Muriel Brunskill (Contralto).—9687.

Octette—"Traume" (Drama) (Wagner, arr. Willoughby).—J. H. Squire Celeste Octette.—DX20.

Song—"The Train That's Taking You Home" (Fyffe).—Will Fyffe (Comedian).—9775.

Pianoforte Solo—"Ballade No. 1 in G Minor" (Chopin).—Robert Casadesu.—9008.

Song—"Simon the Cellarer" (Bellamy-Hatton).—Norman Allin (Bass).—6807.

Violin Solo—"The Phantom Melody" (Ketelbey).—

Violin Solo—"Algerian Scene" (Ketelbey).—Albert Sandler.—9663.

7 p.m.—Stock quotations, etc.

6.52 to 7.15 p.m.—

Band Selections.

"Fetticoat Lane" (A "Kosher" Medley) (arr. Parry).

"Russian Fantasy" (arr. Lange and Somers).—Debroy Somers Band.—9630.

"La Benediction des Poignards" (Meyerbeer).—Reg. Band of H.M. Grenadier Guards.

"Lo! Here the Gentle Lark" (Bishop, arr. Godfrey).—Reg. Band of H.M. Grenadier Guards.—9822.

7.15 to 7.42 p.m.—

Variety.

Song—"Waltzes from Vienna—For We Love You Still"—Marie Burke (Soprano).

Song—"Waltzes from Vienna—Love and War"—Dennis Noble and Chorus.—DB890.

Orchestral—"Help"—Selection.—Charles Prentice and his Orchestra.—DX330.

Comedy Sketch—"Funny Face—A Few Drinks"—Leslie Henson and Sydney Howard.—9592.

Oboe Solo—"Simple Aveu"—Leon Goossens.—DB900.

Song—"Faithfully Yours."

Song—"Moonlight Sailing Time"—Ruth Etting (Comedienne).—DB571.

7.42 to 8 p.m.—

Concert Waltzes.

"Vienna Maidens" (Ziehrer).

"Nights of Fragrance" (Ziehrer).—New Concert Orchestra.—9896.

"Española" (Waldteufel).

"L'Estudiantine" (Waldteufel).—Jacques Jacob's Ensemble.—9886.

8 p.m.—Local time and weather report.

8.05 to 9.30 p.m.—Chinese programme.

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GIRL'S SWIM AT
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VERA HUMBLE MAKES THE
HARBOUR CROSSING.

FEAT. BY 14 YEAR OLD GIRL.

Creating a sensation at Weihaiwei a few days ago, a 14-year old British girl successfully accomplished without any special preparation, the swim from the mainland to the island.

The girl is Miss Vera Humble, a pupil of the Cathedral School for Girls, Shanghai, and the daughter of Mr. Robert Humble, manager of the New Engineering & Shipbuilding Works. She has always been a strong swimmer, and before coming to Shanghai last year received her certificate for passing life-saving tests at home.

Last Saturday she just mentioned casually to her mother, when she went down for her morning swim at the King's Hotel beach, that she was swimming to the island. So, accompanied by the usual sampan, she set off and made the crossing successfully, landing without feeling tired in any way but getting very sunburnt about the face. She took rather a longer course than usual through not noticing a nearer spot to the mainland than the beach at which she landed, near H.M.S. "Hermes" anchorage.

DAILY SHARE QUOTATIONS

HONG KONG STOCK EXCHANGE. SHAREBROKERS' ASSOCIATION.

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LOCAL AND REGULAR OUTWARD MAILS.

FOR	WEEK DAYS		SUNDAYS & HOLIDAYS	
	FROM G.P.O.	FROM SHUNGWAN BRANCH P.O.	FROM G.P.O.	FROM SHUNGWAN BRANCH P.O.
Canton	7.15 a.m. & 6.00 p.m.	7.00 a.m. & 7.00 p.m.	7.15 a.m. & 6.00 p.m.	7.00 a.m. & 7.00 p.m.
Samshui and Wuchow (By direct steamer)	4.00 p.m.	4.00 p.m.	4.00 p.m.	4.00 p.m.
Macao & Tientsin	7.15 a.m. & 1.15 p.m.	7.30 a.m. & 1.30 p.m.	7.15 a.m. & 1.15 p.m.	7.30 a.m. & 1.30 p.m.
Kowloon (except Saturdays)	6.00 p.m.	6.00 p.m.	6.00 p.m.	6.00 p.m.
Kowloon (except Saturdays)	6.00 p.m.	6.00 p.m.	6.00 p.m.	6.00 p.m.
Fatshan and Wuchow (By Train)	7.15 a.m.	7.15 a.m.	7.15 a.m.	7.15 a.m.
Tai O	1.00 p.m. & 3.00 p.m.	1.00 p.m. & 3.00 p.m.	1.00 p.m. & 3.00 p.m.	1.00 p.m. & 3.00 p.m.
Shumchun	1.00 p.m. & 3.00 p.m.	1.00 p.m. & 3.00 p.m.	1.00 p.m. & 3.00 p.m.	1.00 p.m. & 3.00 p.m.
Cheungchow	1.00 p.m. & 3.00 p.m.	1.00 p.m. & 3.00 p.m.	1.00 p.m. & 3.00 p.m.	1.00 p.m. & 3.00 p.m.
Aburdon	8.00 a.m.	8.00 a.m.	8.00 a.m.	8.00 a.m.
Stanley	8.00 a.m.	8.00 a.m.	8.00 a.m.	8.00 a.m.
Autan	8.30 a.m.	8.30 a.m.	8.30 a.m.	8.30 a.m.
Pingshan, Santin, Shatin, Shatakor and Shong-shui	8.30 p.m.	8.30 p.m.	8.30 p.m.	8.30 p.m.
Saikong	4.30 p.m.	4.30 p.m.	4.30 p.m.	4.30 p.m.
Nyanta, Shaki & Taipei (Munis)	7.00 p.m.	7.00 p.m.	7.00 p.m.	7.00 p.m.

Money and Markets

HONG KONG STOCK MARKET.

YESTERDAY'S OFFICIAL QUOTATIONS.

There were no fresh developments yesterday morning, the market being quietly steady with scarcely any alterations in prices.

Sales.

Union Insurances \$462/470
China Underwriters, \$2.05
H.K. Hotels (Old), \$10.00
Hong Kong Lands, \$75 1/2
Hong Kong Realities, \$9.45
Hong Kong Trams, \$22.20/22 1/2
China Lights (Old), \$17 1/2
Cements (Comb.), \$13 1/2

Buyers.

Hong Kong Banks, \$1.565
Union Insurances, \$4.05
China Fire Insurances, \$620
International Assoc. Tls. 4
H.K. Steamboats, \$22 1/2
Union Waterboats, \$20 1/2
Benguet Consolidated, \$19 1/2
Raub, \$40 1/2
Benguet Explorations, 20 cts.
Shanghai Docks, Tls. 35
H.K. Hotels (Old), Tls. 60
Hong Kong Lands, \$75 1/2
Humphreys, \$15.00
Hong Kong Realities, \$9 1/2
Ewo Cottons, Tls. 14.15
Hong Kong Trams, \$22.10
Peak Trams (New), \$7 1/2
Yamati Ferries (Old), \$34 1/2
Yamati Ferries (New), \$32 1/2
China Lights (Old), \$17.40
China Lights (New), \$17.
Malabar Sugars, \$25
Cements (Old), \$9 1/2
Cements (New), \$4
Dairy Farms, \$28
Lane, Crawford, \$5 1/2
H.K. Amusements, \$19 1/2
H.K. Govt. Loans, 3 per cent. Premium.

Sellers.

Providents (Old), \$5.10
Hong Kong Electric, \$75 1/2

I.I.D. CERTIFICATES.

Messrs. A. Goeke & Co., local agents for the Société Internationale de Placements, Basle, have received a telegram to the effect that I.I.D. Certificates were quoted in Basle on Tuesday at £3.0.3.

EXCHANGE.

CLOSING QUOTATIONS.

August 24, 1932.

ON LONDON:—
Telegraphic Transfer, 1/4
Bank Bills, on demand 1/4
Bank Bills, 4 months sight 1/4 1/2
Ore, 4 months sight 1/4 1/2
ON PARIS:—
Bank Bills, on demand 87 1/2
Credits, 4 months sight 87 1/2
ON NEW YORK:—
Bank Bills, on demand 23 1/2
Credits, 60 days sight 24 1/2
ON BOMBAY:—
Telegraphic Transfer, 1/4
Bank, on demand 1/4
ON CALCUTTA:—
Telegraphic Transfer, 1/4
Bank, on demand 1/4
ON SHANGHAI:—
Bank, at sight 75 1/2
ON SINGAPORE:—
On demand 160
ON MANILA:—On demand 48 1/2
ON BATAVIA:—On demand 57 1/2
ON HAIPHONG:—
On demand 58 1/2
ON SAIGON:—On demand 58 1/2
ON BANGKOK:—
On demand 140
SOVEREIGNS, Bank's Buying Rate 1/4 1/2
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NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE.

A.O.F.C. QUOTATIONS.

New York, August 23.

Dow Jones Averages:—

Aug. Aug. 22 23 Change

30 Industrials 70.97 72.13 1.26 up

20 Rails 33.20 33.45 .25 up

20 Utilities 31.70 32.20 .50 up

Messrs. E. A. Pierce and Co.

Report.

The market absorbed a large volume of profit-taking to-day and, with excellent resistance, may have to face additional profit-taking, but we look for higher prices in the next few days.

Business done: 4,600,000 shares.

Last To-day's Price. Price.

Air Reduction \$30 1/2 \$29 1/2

Allied Chemical and 82 83 1/2

Dye 50 1/2 50 1/2

American Can 50 1/2 50 1/2

American Telephone and Telephone 110 115 1/2

American Tobacco 82 80 1/2

Auburn 69 67 1/2

Borden Company 30 31

Canadian Pacific 10 1/2 10 1/2

Consolidated Gas of New York 60 1/2 60 1/2

Drugs, Inc. 40 1/2 40 1/2

Du Pont de Nemours 36 1/2 36 1/2

Eastman Kodak 54 1/2 54 1/2

General Electric 10 1/2 10 1/2

General Foods 20 30

General Motors 15 15 1/2

International Harvester 30 32 1/2

International Tel. and Tel. 11 1/2 11 1/2

Liggett and Myers 69 69 1/2

"B" 31 1/2 31 1/2

Leow's Inc. 31 1/2 31 1/2

Pacific Gas and Electric 30 1/2 31

Pennsylvania Railway 17 1/2 18 1/2

Radio Corporation 9 1/2 9 1/2

Sears Roebuck 22 22 1/2

Standard Oil Co. of New Jersey 34 1/2 35 1/2

Socoy-Vacuum Corp. 10 1/2 11 1/2

Union Carbide and Carbon 27 28 1/2

Union Pacific 75 1/2 80

United Aircraft and Trans. 18 1/2 19 1/2

United States Steel 44 1/2 45 1/2

Westinghouse E. & M. 30 1/2 30

BRITISH STOCKS IMPROVE

OTTAWA SUCCESS REACTION

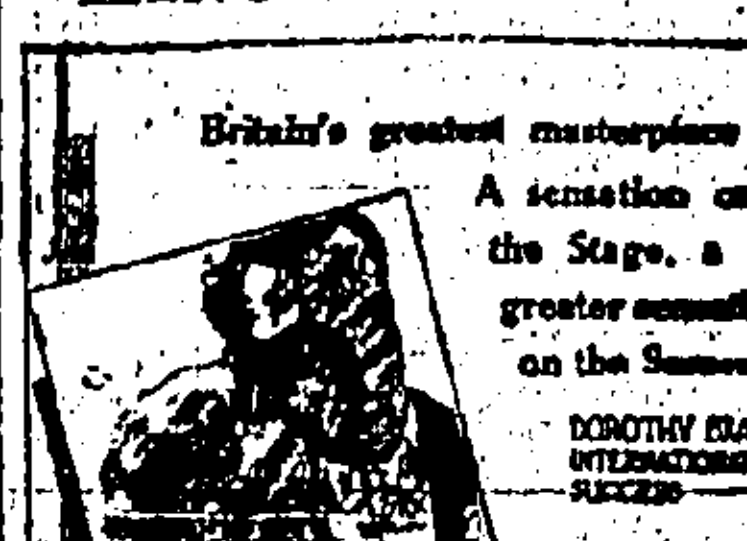
[BRITISH WIRELESS SERVICE.]

Rugby, Aug. 23.

THE stock markets to-day were more active, following the success of the Ottawa Conference, which has stimulated a recovery in the miscellaneous market.

Various leading British industrial shares showed an improvement, home industrials and textiles, British Dunlops, Imperial Chemicals, and Cables and Wireless Company shares being particularly prominent.

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THE SHIPBUILDING SLUMP.

BRITISH TOTAL LOWEST ON RECORD.

The statistics issued by Lloyd's Register of Shipping regarding vessels under construction at the end of June, show that in Great Britain and Ireland there is a decrease of 92,281 tons in the work in hand as compared with the figures for last March, and that the present total—290,693 tons—is 274,911 tons less than the tonnage which was being built at the end of June, 1931. Further, the figure for June, 1932, includes about 159,000 tons on which work has been suspended—120,000 tons of steamers and 33,000 tons of motorships. The present total of 290,693 tons is lower than any comparable figure hitherto recorded by Lloyd's Register during a period of more than 50 years.

Nearly 89,000 tons—representing 31.5 per cent. of the tonnage now in hand in this country—are intended for registration abroad or for sale. The tonnage now under construction abroad—329,091 tons—is about 96,000 tons less than the work which was in hand at the end of March, 1932. Tonnage, included in this figure, on which work has been suspended amounts only to 3,290 tons of steamers and 13,263 tons of motorships.

The five leading countries are:—Italy, 180,665 tons; United States of America, 162,203 tons; France, 123,125 tons; Germany, 103,600 tons; and Sweden, 89,201 tons. The total tonnage under construction in the world amounts to 1,109,773 tons, of which 23.3 per cent. is being built in Great Britain and Ireland, and 74.7 per cent. abroad.

Launches During the Quarter.

In Great Britain and Ireland, only 27,936 tons were commenced during the last three months, albeit an increase of 2,243 tons compared with the very low figure for the March quarter. During the quarter just ended, 69,255 tons were launched in Great Britain and Ireland. This figure shows an increase of 33,931 tons over the unprecedentedly low total for the March quarter. Similar figures for

abroad are 12,540 tons commenced and 124,871 tons launched, showing a decrease, as compared with the previous quarter, or 12,005 tons in the tonnage commenced, while there has been an increase of 35,331 tons in the tonnage launched. These figures, however, again reflect clearly the inactivity so widely prevalent in the shipbuilding industry.

The oil tankers under construction in the world amount to 23 vessels of 272,809 tons, of which six vessels of 47,216 tons, are being built in Great Britain and Ireland, 11 vessels of 74,421 tons in Sweden, and six of 72,409 tons in Germany. It is noteworthy that, of the 33 tankers under construction, 31 are motorships, and that the two steam tankers are both being built in Great Britain.

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CHINA COAST
OFFICERS.RECENT CHANGES IN
PERSONNEL.Mr. J. Mount, has gone third
engineer officer, Ninghai.Mr. W. T. Johnston, third en-
gineer Ninai is on short leave.Mr. A. Jordan, sup'y third en-
gineer officer, Anshun, has gone
acting second engineer officer
Linan.Mr. D. G. Evans, second engineer
officer, Linan, has gone sup'y third
engineer officer, Tean.Mr. D. P. Stratton, third en-
gineer officer, from short leave,
has gone sup'y third engineer
officer, Shengkang.Mr. Aulay McDonald, third en-
gineer officer, from short leave,
has gone third engineer officer,
Tean.Mr. H. C. Higgs, third engineer
officer, Tean, has gone Jr. third
engineer officer, Shengkang.Mr. T. E. Telfer, sup'y third en-
gineer officer, Wanhien, has gone
third engineer officer, Szechuen.Mr. H. L. Elliott, second en-
gineer officer, Kiungchow is in
transit, to Tongku.Mr. J. C. Baker, third engineer
officer, Antung has gone acting
second engineer officer, Kiungchow.Mr. J. J. Forster, sup'y third en-
gineer officer, Wanhien, has gone
third engineer officer, Hain
Peking.Mr. F. C. Duval, third engineer
officer, Hain Peking, has gone
third engineer officer, Fentien.Mr. G. T. Gambling, sup'y third
engineer officer, Wanhien, is in
transit, to Hankow.Mr. H. George, chief engineer
officer, Woosung is on short leave.Mr. J. Symington, chief engineer
officer, Wenchow, has gone chief
engineer officer, Woosung.Mr. W. Curran, from in transit,
has gone second engineer officer,
Chengtu.M. H. S. McComb, second en-
gineer officer, Chengtu, has gone
acting third engineer officer, An-
tung.Mr. F. L. Pears, sup'y third
engineer officer, in transit, is on
short leave.Mr. S. Aherne, from short leave,
is on home leave.Mr. W. Calder, from reserve, has
gone second officer, Huichow.Mr. E. Bruce, sup'y second
officer, from reserve, is in transit.Mr. J. McWilliams, chief officer,
Anking, has gone chief officer,
Tsinan.Mr. J. H. McLaren, chief officer,
Tsinan, has gone chief officer,
Anking.Mr. W. Bambro second officer,
Ninghai, is on reserve.Mr. R. A. Smith sup'y second
officer, Wanhien, has gone second
officer, Ninghai.Mr. J. Paterson, from home
leave, has gone on special duty.Mr. C. W. Rendall, from home
leave, has gone sup'y chief officer,
Wanhien.Mr. F. Kelley sup'y chief officer,
Wanhien, has gone chief officer,
Hanyang.Mr. W. L. Morrison acting chief
officer, Hanyang, has gone sup'y
second officer, Wanhien.Mr. W. T. D. Murphy, sup'y sec-
ond officer, Wanhien, has resigned.Mr. T. E. Rees, sup'y chief
officer, Kintang, has gone sup'y
chief officer, Tsinan.Mr. H. N. Hardies, has gone
third officer, Hineang.Mr. H. J. Cairns, third officer,
Hinsang, has gone acting chief
officer, Kwaisang.Mr. R. E. Smith, acting chief
officer, Kwaisang, is on reserve.Capt. W. Field-Hook, of the
Kumsang, has gone master, Hin-
sang.Capt. L. H. Hutchings, of the
Hinsang, is on short leave.Capt. T. Grant from short leave,
has gone master, Kumsang.Capt. A. B. Osmond, of the Foo-
ching, has gone master, Yusan.Capt. R. C. Thompson, of the
Yusan, has gone master, Fooching.Mr. Paul Studholme from short
leave, has gone third officer, Foo-
ching.Capt. T. Hughes, of the Chak-
sang, has gone master, Chipshing.Capt. J. McAlister, from reserve,
has gone master, Chaksang.

(Continued at foot of next column.)

URGED TO SEIZE
FOODSTUFFS.COMMUNIST ADVICE IN
SELANGOR.Kuala Lumpur, August 14.—"In
citement of fight for and seize food
stuffs" was a sentence in Com-
munist literature which was read
in the Selangor Assize Court this
morning.The documents also urged "op-
position to Scout troops" and
"armed support for the Soviet
Union." They were issued by the
Selangor Communist Party, the
Red Labour Union and the Com-
munist League of Youth.Mr. Justice Mudie asked why the
seditious parts of the documents
had not been selected, instead of
setting out the entire documents in
the charge. His lordship pointed
out that nine tenths of the state-
ments were not seditious."Oppose the customs arrange-
ments of the British imperialists,"
his lordship quoted. "They are
entitled to oppose them, aren't
they? Oppose the increase of taxa-
tion and so forth. They are en-
titled to oppose it."The Deputy Public Prosecutor,
Mr. R. C. Cussen, contended that it
was necessary to set out the entire
documents in order to show their
seditious sense as a whole. The
whole tendency was towards violent,
unlawful action.The accused, a young Hylam and
a young Hakka, said that the ten-
ant of the room in which they were
arrested gave them the documents
and told them to copy them. They
were out of work and this man
offered them five dollars a month.His Lordship thereupon convict-
ed them of being in possession of
seditious documents.Mr. Cussen said that the men
were arrested on July 24, and it
was obvious from the articles found
in the room—a cyclostyle and other
material—that they were going to
turn out a large supply of docu-
ments for use on August 1, which
was a big Communist demonstra-
tion day.The accused were sentenced to
two years' rigorous imprisonment.

SPEED AT HAVRE.

LINERS DEALT WITH IN
RECORD TIME.Two recent instances of the celer-
ity with which passenger and cargo
traffic is handled at Havre are re-
ported. On June 26 the steamer
Pennland, of the Red Star Line,
arrived at Havre at 3.30 p.m. from
Southampton, and was moored at
the Florida quay. There were on
board 300 passengers bound for
Paris. Three private motor-cars
and 94 heavy parcels were unload-
ed while the 300 passengers were
landed, within fifteen minutes, and
the ship sailed from Havre to Ant-
werp exactly 65 minutes after her
arrival.This performance, however, was
eclipsed in the case of the Cana-
dian Pacific liner Montclare, which
arrived at Havre from Montreal
on July 1 at 7.10 a.m. with 180
passengers and 168 bags of mail.
During unloading the ship was
supplied with a large quantity of
fruit and vegetables intended for a
14-day cruise in the Mediterranean.
The whole operation occupied only
30 minutes, quite a record figure.
Such successful results are due in
the main, to the efforts of the staff
of the Havre autonomous port and
of the Cie. Industrielle Maritime.Mr. L. W. Harrison, acting chief
officer, Chipshing, has gone sup'y
second officer, Chaksang.Capt. S. Schofield acting master,
Chipshing, has gone chief officer,
the same ship.Capt. J. W. Stoneham, acting
master, Changwo, has gone chief
officer, Kungwo.Mr. W. E. L. Courtney, chief
officer, Kungwo, is on reserve.Mr. C. J. Thomson from reserve,
has gone second officer, Fooching.Mr. L. A. Baillie, second officer,
Fooching, is on short leave.Mr. D. W. Pollock from reserve,
has gone third engineer officer,
Chaksang.Mr. R. B. Symington, third en-
gineer officer, Chaksang, is on re-
serve.

"SPLENDID PROFESSION."

PRINCE GEORGE'S VISIT TO
WARSPITE.Prince George visited the War-
spite, the training ship of the
Marine Society in the Thames,
off Grays, recently, and carried out
the annual inspection of the boys.
It was his first visit since becoming
the Patron of the Society.Addressing the boys, the Prince
said: "I have been long enough
at sea to know something about
inspections, and even before com-
ing alongside I was much impress-
ed with the smart appearance of
the ship. You are joining a splen-
did profession. One of its chief
attractions is that it takes you, in
the course of your duty, to many
interesting parts of the world. This
in itself is a liberal education. In
a ship it is necessary for the whole
ship's company to be loyal to one
another. The lives of all may de-
pend on any one individual.""Recently we have heard on
every side the slogan 'Buy Brit-
ish,' and I am not alone in think-
ing that it is of the most vital im-
portance to the well-being of our
Empire that our ships should be
manned by British seamen, and
that a constant stream of British
boys should be trained to follow
the calling of the sea.""In spite of hard times in the
shipping world, I hear that the
demand for Warspite boys is ex-
ceeding the supply. Already, dur-
ing the first six months of this year,
the Warspite has sent 40 boys into
the Royal Navy and 70 into the
Merchant Navy, compared with 33
to the Navy and 74 to the Mer-
chant Navy during the whole 12
months of 1931."The Prince congratulated Master
E. F. Cobb, the winner of the silver
cup for the best all-round boy of
the year.

THE S.S. EURIPIDES.

ABERDEEN LINER CHANGES
HANDS.The Shaw, Savill and Albion
Company have acquired from the
Aberdeen Line the passenger liner
Euripides. The ship has made her
last voyage in the Australian ser-
vice, and will be entirely remodelled
before her first voyage to New
Zealand at the end of the year.
With a gross tonnage of 15,000 tons
and a length of 550 ft., the Eur-
ipides will reinforce the company's
present passenger fleet, consisting
of the Mataroa, Tamaroa, Tainui,
and Ionic.The extensive alterations which
are to be made to the ship include
her conversion from coal to oil-
burning, the provision of a perma-
nent tiled swimming pool and
of a gymnasium, and the exten-
sion of the promenade decks. There
will be a large open-air dancing
floor and verandah cafe, a cocktail
bar, and a new children's nursery
and dining-room.The longest ship in the New
Zealand service, the Euripides, will
carry cabin-class passengers only,
the old third-class accommodation
being given over to cargo, and the
whole of the deck space being made
available for all passengers. The
speed of the ship will be the same
as that of the Mataroa and
Tamaroa, the company's other
cabin-class ships, which call at
Curacao and the Panama Canal,
and make the journey to New
Zealand in about 33 days. There
will be accommodation for 900 pas-
sengers, and the special round-
voyage tickets, giving 100 days'
travel for £112, will be available,
in addition to the usual cabin-class
scale of rates.HUNT FOR TERRORISTS IN
KASHMIR.GURDASPUR CONSPIRACY
CASE.It is understood that the Gurdas-
pur Conspiracy society, recently
discovered by the police, is not
limited to Punjab Districts only,
but is connected with people in the
Kashmir and Jammu States.Some officers of the Punjab police
are stated to have already reached
Kashmir State and searched many
houses in a number of villages.
Vigorous investigation is going on
and startling revelations are ex-
pected.Six accused in this case, Hazara
Singh, Indar Singh, Kartar Singh,
Jaswant Singh Bedi, Babu Ram
Mahajan and Harman Singh saw
their relatives in the court of the
Gurdaspur Magistrate, and were
then sent to the lock-up.

ADVERTISEMENTS.

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Kailan Mining Administration to be
exchanged for new Talons with Cou-
pons Nos. 41 to 60 attached.Application must be made in person
or through a Bank or other duly
authorised Agent; applications made
through the post cannot be dealt
with.All Talons must be listed on the
proper form which may be obtained
on application.As the old Talons have to be
forwarded by the Kailan Mining
Administration to the Transfer Office
of the Company in London, the
exchange will take approximately
eight weeks for completion. The new
Talons will be ready for issue by the
Transfer Office on and after the 5th
SEPTEMBER, 1932.THE KAILAN MINING
ADMINISTRATION,
E. J. NATHAN,
General Manager.

Tientsin, 22nd August, 1932. [2485]

NOTICE.

THE SANITARY BOARD wishes
to draw the attention of the
Public to the possibility of contracting
Cholera from eating Uncooked Veget-
ables and Fruits.J. H. GELLING,
Secretary, Sanitary Board.

11th July, 1932. [2487]

PASSENGERS.

Arrivals.

The following passengers arrived
by the P. & O. s.s. Ranchi:—Pay
Lt.-Cdr. Best, Pay Lt. E. F. Bur-
kitt, Mrs. G. M. Banister, Lt. F. R.
V. Currey, Mr. and Mrs. A. Daw-
son, Lt.-Cdr. J. Fletcher, Sgt. Lt.
Cdr. Hughes, Cmdre. E. Lawrie,
Sgn. Cdr. J. Park, Pay Lt. Cdr.
Porter, Mr. and Mrs. F. Sellwood,
Mr. Sellwood (junr.), Miss A. M.
Upsell, Miss R. Walpole, Miss E.
M. Bell, Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Mor-
gan, Mr. F. R. Nicholson, Mr. R.
H. Bayliss, Mrs. A. R. Brumby,
Mr. K. Y. Chan, Mr. and Mrs. S.
H. Langston, Mr. H. C. Blackmore,
Mr. A. H. Pridham, Naik Hussain
Khan, Mr. H. S. Rathour, Miss J.
A. Gray, Mr. and Mrs. G. David-
son, Mr. A. T. Aird, Miss H. E.
K. Walker, Mr. Wu Chiao Shun,
Mr. Wu Kuo Heiang, Mr. R. P.
Newell, Mr. H. Swenson, Mr. P.
Gordon-Huntley, Mrs. F. Knight,
Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Harrison, Miss
G. G. Porter, Mr. J. C. Church,
Mr. G. W. Husband, Mrs. Loke
2 children and infant, Mrs. G. W.
Davis, Mr. Ng Men Silk, Mr. Lai
Jung Sing.The following passengers arrived
yesterday by the R.M.S. Empress
of Japan from Manila:—Mr. O. C.
Black, Mr. A. B. Ching, Mr. and
Mrs. Ching Yin Ku, Mr. G. M.
Schuitsaunser, Mr. Lu Keh Siang,
Mrs. Hoh Yau Wa, Mr. Yu Heng
Yick, Mr. Yu Seng Yick, Mr. R.
De Leon, Miss B. A. Briscoe, Mr.
G. G. Johnson, Mr. J. A. Murphy,
Miss R. McCullough, Mr. B. Or-
lance, Mr. and Mrs. M. P. Orlance,
Mr. O. M. Road, Miss E. W. Smith,
Mr. P. N. Soleiman, Miss E. Star-
key, Miss A. G. Sanderse, Mr. A.
H. Walters, Mr. R. Walters,
Miss J. L. Walters, Mrs. W. N.
Gray, Mrs. E. Harms, Miss A. M.
Henderson, Mr. A. B. Park, Mrs.
G. Thompson, Mr. E. Walsh, Mr.
H. M. Snyder, Mrs. P. A. and Miss
L. Bell, Lt. O. A. Kneeland, Miss
E. D. Mackinnon, Mrs. M. C. Pow-
ers, Miss R. M. Walker, Mr. M. K.
Shahani, Mr. S. Matsumoto, Miss
K. Bunnell, Miss E. Conard, Miss
C. G. Heywood, Mr. W. A. Mur-
ray, Miss E. B. Murray, Mr. I.
Weinslein, Mr. H. M. Kneeler,
Mr. M. Calderon, Mr. J. F. Pow-
ers, Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Sampson,
Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Dausse, Mrs.
T. H. Eckerson, Mr. C. D. Card-
ner, Mrs. C. D. and Miss M. P.
Cardner, Miss M. and Miss P.
Kalaw, Miss M. E. Cleland, Mr.
R. M. Corpus, Miss E. Gill, Mr.
P. H. Noble, Mr. and Mrs. R. H.
Noble, Mr. J. Quema.

CONSIGNMENT NOTICES.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

PENINSULAR AND ORIENTAL
STEAM NAVIGATION CO.'S
STEAMER "HANCHU".ARRIVED HONG KONG ON
24th AUGUST, 1932.FROM ANTWERP, LONDON, GIBRA-
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PORT SAID, ADEN, COLOMBO
AND STRAITS.CONSIGNEES of Cargo by the above-
named Vessel are hereby informed
that their Goods are being landed
and placed at THEIR RISK in the Hong Kong
and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Com-
pany's Godowns at Kowloon, where each
Consignee will be sorted out Mark
by Mark and Delivery can be obtained as
the Goods are landed.Optional Goods will be landed here
unless Instructions have been given to the
contrary six Hours before arrival of the
Steamer.Goods not cleared within 8 days
including date of arrival will be subject to
Rent.No Fire Insurance will be effected by
us in any case whatever.Damaged Packages must be left in the
Godowns for examination by the Con-
signee, and the Company's Surveyors,
Messrs. Goddard & Douglas, at 10 a.m.
on Mondays and Thursdays, within the
Free Storage period.Consignees are specially notified that
it is necessary for a Revenue Officer to
be present at the examination of
damaged dutiable cargo.All Claims against the Steamer must
be presented to the Undersecretary on or
before 13th September, 1932, or they will
not be recognized.No Claims will be admitted after the
Goods have left the Godown.
MACKINNON, MACKENZIE & Co.,
Agents.
Hong Kong, 24th Aug., 1932. [2489]

PRINCE LINE.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

FROM NEW YORK.

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having arrived from the above Port on
23rd instant, Consignees of Cargo are
hereby informed that their Goods are
being landed at their risk into the
Godowns of the Hong Kong and Kowloon
Wharf and Godown Company, Limited,
Kowloon, and stored at Consignees' risk
and expense.All broken, chafed, and damaged Goods
are to be left in the Godowns, where
they will be examined on Monday,
29th instant at 10 a.m.All Claims must be presented within
15 Days of the Vessel's arrival here,
after which date they cannot be re-
cognized.No Claims will be admitted after the
Goods have left the Godowns, and all
Goods remaining undelivered after the
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Hong Kong, 23rd Aug., 1932. [2483]HAMBURG AMERIKA LINIE.
NOTICE TO CONSIGNEESTHE Motor Vessel
"LEVENKUSEN"having arrived, Consignees of Cargo are
hereby notified that their Goods are
being landed and placed at their risk
in the Hong Kong and Kowloon Wharf
and Godown Company's Godowns at
Kowloon, where Delivery can be
obtained as the Goods are landed.Optional Cargo will be landed, unless
Notice has been given prior to Steamer's
arrival.No Claims will be admitted after the
Goods have left the Godowns, and all
Goods remaining undelivered after the
24th Aug., 1932, will be subject to Rent.All broken, chafed, and damaged
Goods are to be left in the Godowns,
where they will be examined on 24th
Aug., 1932, at 10 a.m., by our Surveyors,
Messrs. Goddard & Douglas.All Claims must reach us before the
10th September, 1932, or they will not be
recognized.No Insurance will be effected.
Bills of Lading will be countersigned
by the Undersecretary.JEBSEN & CO.,
Agents.
Hong Kong, 17th Aug., 1932. [2476]COMMENCING SUN.
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By careful watching of food advertisements you will be able to buy fresh fruits and vegetables at prices that will suit the most slender budget. Your family will be healthier and happier for the additions of such food as is suggested here. Remember—light menus—rich in minerals and all the fine food elements contained in green things and in luscious fruits are best!

Poultry



BROILED CHICKEN

Select a plump, young chicken, split down the back, draw, wash and wipe dry. Rub all over with butter, sprinkle with salt and pepper, dust with flour, and place on a rack in a roasting pan skin side up. Broil under the flame of an oven, and as soon as lightly browned turn the other side up. Continue to cook under the flame for about 20 minutes, then place in a moderate oven (350 deg. F.) for 15 minutes to finish. Throughout the cooking baste frequently with the drippings and with melted butter. Serve the broiled chicken on a hot platter with the drippings poured over it.

If more convenient start the cooking of the chicken in the oven and finish by broiling directly under the flame of the oven.

SAVORY CREAMED CHICKEN

4-lb fowl. Flour. 1 cup chopped celery and 1 1/2 cups cream. 1/2 cup chopped onion. 3 drops tabasco sauce. 1 green pepper, chopped.

Place the fowl in a kettle on a rack, half filled with boiling water, cover, cook slowly until tender, and let stand in the broth overnight in a cold place. Skim the fat from the bones, and cut into uniform pieces. Return the bones to the simmer for a short while so as to get off any small pieces of meat that cling to the bones. Brown the celery, onion and green pepper in 4 tablespoons of the fat removed from the chicken stock. Measure the broth. There should be about 1 quart. For each cup of broth add 2 tablespoons of flour to the cream and mix until smooth. Add to the chicken broth with the salt and the tabasco, stir until thickened, add the chicken and mix until well blended. Serve on crisp toast or with rice patties.

Like Squash? You'll Love This! PANNEE SUMMER SQUASH

1 1/2 quarts diced summer squash. 1 1/2 teaspoons salt. 3 tablespoons butter or other fat. 1 teaspoon pepper.

Select young tender squash, wash well, and remove the tips from each end. Cut the squash into small pieces, leaving the skin on unless it is very tough. Melt the fat in a skillet until slightly brown, put in the squash, sprinkle with the salt and pepper, cover, and cook for 10 or 15 minutes at moderate heat. Remove the cover and cook a little longer for the liquid to evaporate. Serve hot.



FRIED CARROTS AND APPLES.

6 medium-sized carrots. 1 tablespoon sugar. 6 tart apples. 1/2 teaspoon salt. 2 tablespoons fat.

Scrape the carrots and cut them lengthwise into thin slices. Pare the apples or leave the skin on, as preferred, core, and cut into slices about a fourth of an inch thick. Place a single layer of the apples and the carrots in a large skillet with the fat, cover tightly, and cook until well browned, turn, and brown the other side. Just before the cooking is finished, sprinkle with the sugar and salt. Serve on a hot (Continued at next column.)

BAKED TOMATOES.



Wash tomatoes, remove the stem ends, cut in half, place in a shallow greased baking dish, cover with buttered bread crumbs seasoned with salt and pepper. Add a little water to keep the tomatoes from sticking to the dish. Bake in a moderate oven for 30 minutes, or until the tomatoes are tender and the crumbs down.

LIMA BEANS IN TOMATO SAUCE.

2 cup dried lima beans. 2 quarts water. 2 cups canned tomatoes. 3 whole cloves. 1 lb sliced bacon.

Wash the beans and soak them overnight in water to cover. In the morning the pour off this water, cook in 2 quarts of lightly salted water for about one-half hour, or until tender but not broken, and drain. Simmer the tomatoes with the cloves for 10 minutes and strain off the juice. Cook the bacon in a skillet until crisp, remove from the fat, drain on absorbent paper, and keep warm. Brown the onion in the bacon fat, stir in the flour until well blended, add the tomato juice and beans, and cook until the sauce thickens. Season to taste with salt, pepper, tabasco sauce, and serve with the strips of bacon over the top.

Fix Tomatoes a New Way.

3 tablespoons gelatin. 1 cup cold water. 1 quart canned tomatoes. 2 or 3 slices of onion. 1 1/2 teaspoons salt. 1 teaspoon sugar. 1 tablespoon chopped green pepper. 2 tablespoons chopped celery. 1 tablespoon chopped parsley. 1 cup shredded cabbage.

Soak the gelatin in the cold water for 5 minutes. Boil the tomatoes and onion for 5 minutes, strain through a fine sieve, pour the hot tomato juice over the softened gelatin, and stir until it is dissolved. Add the salt and sugar and chill. When the gelatin mixture is partly set, add the finely chopped vegetables, and mix well. Add more salt if needed. If the mixture is not tart enough, add a little lemon juice or vinegar. Pour into wet custard cups and place in a cold place until set, turn out on crisp lettuce leaves, and serve with mayonnaise. This salad is delicious served with a platter of cold meat sliced and iced coffee on a hot night.

OUR NEW FEATURE.

We hope that our women readers will be interested in this new feature which we propose to have once a week. Although not very many women here do their own cooking, still some of us have cook boys who are sufficiently intelligent to try out a new dish. If any readers would like to send us their own favourite recipe we should be glad to publish them.

platter, first a layer of carrots, then a layer of apples, so the two can be lifted together.

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The Children's Corner

BY UNCLE JACK

THE SCRAP BOOK.

DEAR KIDDIES—

Have you ever kept a scrap book?—No!—Well you should start right now. They can be made very interesting containing pictures and photos and cuttings from newspapers. They should be all neatly arranged and pasted in, and the book will be awfully interesting to you in later years.

Most newspaper reporters keep a scrap book—he calls it a Specimen book. In this book he pastes, the cutting of every function that he attends and writes about. At some later day his book may take the part of a reference, for it shows exactly, what experience the man has had.

Some of the greatest fun is in making the scrap book up and sticking things in. It is really quite an art to have it neat and clean and tidy. Get a fairly large book and on the front page write your name and the date of commencing the book.

Why not start off by collecting the "Children's Corner" cuttings.

Cheerio, UNCLE JACK.

A STICKY SUBJECT.

Many boys have melted down a cake of glue in their time, though probably few are acquainted with the manner in which it is manufactured. It consists of various kinds of cuttings from slaughterhouses, and is first of all boiled in bags of small-meshed net. After it has become partially solidified it is stretched upon nets and dried in the air underneath sheds. Sometimes, if it is desired to hasten the part of the process, heated atmospheric currents are used. The nets account for the small marks which may be observed on a cake of glue.

DO YOU KNOW?

The North Star, which is about the size of our sun, is seventy light years away from us. When we look at this bright star of the northern sky, we see only a beam of light that is just now reaching us after being seventy years on the road. And light travels at the rate of 186,000 miles a second. Rabbits are sold to customers under dozens of trade names. Here are some of them: Baltic lion, American seal, Baltic black fox, black lynx, Belgian beaver, French sable, galloway squirrel, Australian coney, Baltic tiger, ermine, Russian leopard, visonette, Hudson Bay seal, Baltic white fox, buckskin seal, castorett, minkony nutrie and muskratine.

POUR LES PETITS.



Mon père a acheté une poupée et un bureau pour moi la poupée est jolie elle a une robe rouge et un chapeau noir. (Translation to-morrow.)

THE REAL QUESTION.

A farmer, visiting his son's college and wandering into a chemistry class, saw some students busy with retorts and test tubes. "What are you trying to do?" he asked. "We're endeavoring," replied one of the students, "to discover or invent a universal solvent." "What's that?" asked the farmer. "A liquid that will dissolve anything." "That's a great idea," agreed the farmer. "When you find it, what are you going to keep it in?"

CHEESE DREAMS.

Slice bread thin, remove the crusts, and without buttering make into sandwiches with thin even slices of sharp-flavoured cheese as the filling and a sprinkling of salt and a drop or two of tabasco sauce for seasoning. In a heavy skillet melt sufficient butter to cover the bottom and brown the sandwiches delicately and rather slowly on both sides, adding more butter if necessary. Take care that the butter does not become so hot that it browns the sandwiches before the bread is heated through and the cheese melted. Serve the cheese dreams at once with a salad of vegetables or of sardines.

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JELLIED FISH SALAD

Sea food



2 tablespoons gelatin. 1 cup cold water. 2 eggs. 1/2 teaspoon salt. 1/2 teaspoon celery seed. 1 cup vinegar. 1 cup water. 2 cup canned tuna fish.

Soften the gelatin in the cold water for 5 minutes. Beat the eggs, add the salt, celery seed, vinegar and water until thickened. Add the softened gelatin and stir until the gelatin has dissolved; then add the fish which has been separated from the bones and minced. Pour into individual dampened molds, let stand in a cold place until firmly set, turn out on crisp lettuce, and serve with mayonnaise.



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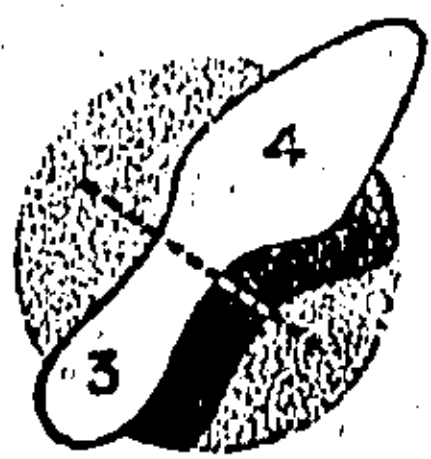


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VISITORS IN WEST
CHINA.SEVERAL EXPLORATION
TRIPS THIS YEAR.FLOYD TANGIER SMITH BACK
AGAIN.

Chengtu, July 31.—Exploration seems to be the keynote here this summer. The local West China Border Research Society of the Union University has sent out three parties in various directions, or at least, members of this active and virile Society have formed exploration parties and are busy in the adjacent mountains during vacation, and off to the Lolo and Miao country seeking information, archaeological and anthropological.

Now comes the advance guard of a strong American party with designs on the redoubtable Kong Ka, the great snow peak south of Tachienlu which professor Heina puts at between 25,000 and 29,000 ft. high. This mountain has never been climbed and will offer some real opposition with its steep glacial sides. The present party is composed of A.B. Emmons and R. L. Burdall of Harvard University. Both are engineers and came with other to make up the Siking Expedition, and intended to travel north west and make explorations in Central Asia but were refused permission from Nanking. Now the party has broken up and they are essaying West Szechuan explorations which are not fraught with such exasperating embargoes.

Mr. Emmons with a younger brother climbed Mount Blanc when they were fifteen and thirteen years of age respectively. At this time the extreme youth of the brother constituted a record. Later the party will be reinforced by an American born Chinese who has had considerable experience, and also by Terence Moore who reached the top of Mount Fairweather. Emmons has been in close communication with Prof. Odell of Mount Everest fame, who is now on the staff at Harvard University in the Geology department. He received much help and information from Mr. Odell, and has come with his party and plenty of equipment to attempt something serious in climbing in the great snow ranges of the Himalayas of the Western part of China bordering Tibet. Mr. Emmons himself has climbed Mount McKinley and with experienced men in the party some real advancement in this part of the world geographically is expected.

Live Panda's Caught.

Mr. Floyd Tangier Smith is in the west again. After his extremely hard luck here before in having his camps burned by brigands he is exceedingly courageous to try it again. He has been successful in securing live pandas but only small ones now in Shanghai. This time he is after something larger.

The German Consul from Chungking, Mr. Georg Scheffler has been a visitor to the Provincial Capital and took the opportunity to visit mountain resorts including Mount Omei, Kwan Hsien Irrigation works, the Green Mountains and "Cave of the Heavenly Teacher." He was tremendously impressed especially by the latter which is very old and goes back to the time of the Yellow Emperor when his teacher found this famous spot for study and was later followed by the Emperor himself. Now, the most beautiful temples of West China are here, and they are maintained in a most worthy manner, as many as 300 pilgrims and tourists finding accommodation here at one time.

Later Dr. Fuhrmann of the Philippines arrived on a walking tour of China, visiting the five famous mountains of China. He is a remarkable man at the age of 62 who has left his practice to his son in the Philippines after thirty years of arduous medical work, and is, as he phrases it, "vagabonding." He too visited the Cave of the Heavenly Teacher and neighboring mountains and temples including the famous Fu Lung Kwan and Er Wang Miao, the memorials to the great genius of Li Bin and his son Er Lang who carried out the irrigation project for the Chengtu Plain.

In his train followed three German teachers from Peking, Mr. and Mrs. Sachowski and Miss Lucie Wilke. The former proved an intrepid hunter and succeeded in getting some wild boar. The ladies visited the mountains and temples and proved exceptionally well versed in Chinese lore. They proceeded to Mount Omei to make further conquests there. Many trips have been made to the Jir Ding Kwan Yin's Lamps of Mercy.

THE HARDOON CASE

APPELLANT TO FURNISH
\$12,000 SECURITY.APPEAL DESCRIBED AS
SPECULATIVE.

An application made by Mr. G. H. Wright, of Messrs. Hansons, on behalf of Ezra Abdullah Hardeen, on order that Ezra Abdullah Hardeen should, within 14 days, give security for the costs of his appeal from the judgment of the Court dated July 11, 1932, and that, until such security is given, his appeal should be stayed and, further, that, in default of such security being given within the time mentioned, his appeal shall stand dismissed without further order with costs to be taxed and paid by Ezra Abdullah Hardeen to defendant, was granted by his Honour Judge Sir Peter Grain in H.M. Supreme Court last week. A further order was made that Ezra Abdullah Hardeen should pay the costs of the application.

Mr. Wright said that this was an application under Rule 8 of the Full Court Rules 1910 for an order directing the appellant, Ezra Abdullah Hardeen, to give security for the costs to be occasioned by his appeal. He referred also to order 58 rule 15 of the Rules of High Court in England where a similar provision is to be found and he read the notice of motion which had been filed and an affidavit of himself in support stating:

"On January 12, 1932, Ezra Abdullah Hardeen applied to this Court for the appointment of an administrator *pendente lite* of the estate of Silas Aaron Hardeen, deceased. The said application was dismissed with costs and the Court ordered that, before any further proceedings take place, there must be some sum of money to be ascertained deposited by Ezra Abdullah Hardeen to meet past and future costs. Ezra Abdullah Hardeen has failed to furnish the security referred to."

"I have no reasonable ground for expecting that Ezra Abdullah Hardeen will pay the taxed costs of this action or any of them, he, as I believe, being without the means of payment."

"I verily believe that Ezra Abdullah Hardeen will be unable, through lack of means, to pay the respondent's costs of appeal if it should be unsuccessful."

"By the said judgment dated July 11, 1932, the Court found that neither the law of Iraq nor the Ottoman law had been proved in the course of the case and further that there was practically no evidence to show that Ezra Abdullah Hardeen was a next of kin entitled to share in the estate of Silas Aaron Hardeen. By reason of these findings, I say that the appeal is an idle, vexatious and speculative appeal and is utterly groundless and that the case is not a proper one for appeal."

Speculative Appeal.

Counsel said he had to show in the words of rule 8 some special circumstances and referred to various cases for the purpose of showing that the poverty or insolvency of the appellant was regarded as a special circumstance justifying an order for security for costs. It was clear that, if the appeal failed, the appellant would be unable to pay the respondent's costs. The appellant had also expressed his inability to pay the taxed costs of the action and, according to the case of Clarke v. Roche, this was regarded by the Court as a special circumstance within the meaning of order 58 rule 15.

Counsel also referred to the appeal as a speculative one and quoted a case where the Court regarded the appeal, which was considered to be speculative, as a special circumstance. He added that the true test as to the amount of security was the probable amount of costs to be incurred on behalf of the respondent and asked the Court to order that appellant deposit a sum of \$12,000 in court within 14 days from date, failing which the appeal should be dismissed.

Mr. M. E. Solomon, who represented appellant, opposed the application on various grounds and urged that his client was in poor circumstances and that the Court should fix a small amount for security.

After further argument, the Judge gave a brief outline of the circumstances of the case which he characterized as a speculative one and ordered the appellant, Ezra Abdullah Hardeen, to deposit in court within 14 days from date, the sum of \$12,000 as security for the costs of the appeal, failing which the appeal would be dismissed without further order.

"DOWN WITH THE
LADDER."SECRETS OF SUCCESS BY
"G.B.S."

Mr. Bernard Shaw, in a broadcast talk from London on "Rungs of the Ladder," gave a few recipes for success and several of the ingredients.

"You think I am a great man and so does the B.B.C.," he said. "Yet you know from my pictures that to look at I am just like any other old man with a beard. What you want to get at is the mysterious something that has made me a great man while you are a nobody. The truth is that there is no such thing as a great man or a great woman. People believe in them as they used to believe in unicorns or dragons. Ninety-nine per cent. of them are just like the rest of us, and the other one per cent. are martyrs."

Mr. Shaw gave advice to parents on the bringing up of children. "If you want children to be respectable you must bring them up to do what everyone else does. When in Rome, do as the Romans do. That is the moral you must hold up to your children."

"Countless people will tell you that children are a great responsibility. That is nonsense. Children are a great expense, and parents ought not to have to bear that expense. The notion that parents are responsible for the character of the children is nonsense. They come into the world with characters we have not made and cannot remake."

"It is the business of the State to see that the dead are replaced and to see that the parents are well paid for it. The whole expense of replacing the dead falls on the parents, whereas bachelors and old maids have no expense except the education rate."

Birth Control Threat.

"If our women had any sense they would threaten the Government with birth control and refuse to become mothers until they were State guaranteed."

"Many parents go through agonies of hypocrisy to keep the respect of their children, and when their children find out they become cynical. Live your lives frankly in front of your children, and give them a chance of becoming real Bernard Shaws. We must make the world honest before we tell our children that honesty is the best policy. Better give your children no advice at all, and leave them to form their own conclusions."

Mr. Shaw's other points were: "The average public school and university man is a walking calamity."

"It should be forbidden by law to leave your children provided for."

"There is one rule that breaks through all other rules. If you are crazy about money, you will get heaps of it."

"The moral of my career is: Down with the ladder. Let us all keep our seats on the ground."

GOVERNMENT OFFICE
HOURS IN SINGAPORE.TO BEGIN AT NINE IN THE
MORNING.

According to a Straits Settlement Government Gazette the hours for the conduct of public business in Government offices will be from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. and on Saturdays 9 a.m. to 1 p.m.

This means an extension of half an hour. Previously work began at 9.30 a.m.

Last June the hours of work in Government offices in the F.M.S. were lengthened by one hour, the day now being from 8.30 a.m. to 4 p.m. A circular from the Federal secretariat added: "Departures from the standard may be authorized by the Chief Secretary in the case of Federal offices and by the Residents in the case of State offices, but it is by no means intended that heads of offices shall be restricted to employing their staff during the hours prescribed by or under this general order if public business necessitates earlier or later attendance."

K. F. C. MEETING.

ELECTION OF OFFICERS.

A loss of over \$1,000 in the past year was recorded at the annual meeting of the Kowloon Football Club held on Tuesday evening.

Major C. M. Manners, who presided, attributed the loss to, principally, the unfortunate football dispute of last season, rendering matches with the Chinese impossible and causing a heavy loss on the stands.

They were looking forward to a much happier season. They had lost an unusually large number of players for one reason or another, but a good deal of new blood has come along and they were confident that the Kowloon Football Club would prove themselves still a force to be reckoned with in local football.

The report and accounts were approved.

The election of officers resulted as follows:—

President: Mr. T. A. Mitchell.
Chairman: Mr. R. Hall.
Hon. Treasurer: Mr. S. Dallow.
Hon. Secretary: Mr. J. Mackie.
Captain: Mr. J. McKelvie.
Vice-Captain: Mr. G. Hedley.
Tennis Convenor: Mr. Chaplin.
Bar Convenor: Mr. S. Dallow.
General Committee: Messrs. T. F. Bradford, J. Beach, W. M. Johnson, T. Coleman, R. Lapsley and F. C. Cleme.

Ballotting Committee: Messrs. A. Spary, Docherty, and J. W. Brown.

THE MARCH OF
ZIONISM.PALESTINE'S FUTURE: A
MEMBER OF THE LEAGUE?

Dr. Nahum Sokolow, president of the World Zionist Organisation, was welcomed on his return from the United States at a large gathering on July 12 at the Shoreditch Town Hall. It happened that the occasion coincided with the fiftieth anniversary of Chibbath Zion (meaning the friends or lovers of Zion), and many references were made to the fine work done by that pioneer body, which, in fact, is now merged in the larger movement.

The Chief Rabbi (Dr. J. H. Hertz), who presided, referred to the Soviet scheme for concentrating Russian Jews in a Crimean settlement, and expressed the conviction that that rival scheme could never be a blessing to the Jewish people, sponsored as it is by people who are prepared to crush the Jewish heritage, proscribe the Hebrew language, torture its rabbis, and exile Zionists.

Lord Melchett described Zionism as being above all things one of the great youth movements of the world to-day—a movement more far-reaching than many were perhaps able to realise. Speaking of the progress in Palestine he said there is no unemployment there, and Palestine has even balanced its economic estimates. In another ten or twenty years he believed that Palestine will be the centre and the only centre of Jewry.

Among other speakers was Professor S. Brodetsky (Leeds), who said that fifty years ago there were people who said that Zionism was unnecessary, because the problem would be solved by the onward march of human progress. "I point to Germany and to Austria, and to almost every country in the world," he said, "and I ask you—Where is the objection to Zionism on the score of its being unnecessary?"

The nations of the world had allowed Jews to rebuild Palestine, and the Jews had shown that they could rebuild that country and live there as farmers of their own soil.

Dr. Sokolow, who had an enthusiastic reception, referring to what he described as the American front, said that Zionism is a strong force, it was true that terrible conditions prevailed there—more terrible than he had imagined—but in spite of their poverty people had made great sacrifices for the movement. He said there are thousands and ten of thousands who are dreaming of going to Palestine.

Referring to the attacks on Jews (Continued at foot of next column.)

CORRESPONDENCE.

[All letters intended for publication must be accompanied by the name and address of the writer, not for publication, unless so desired, but as evidence of good faith.—Ed.]

WAH YAN COLLEGE.

(TO THE EDITOR OF THE "HONG KONG DAILY PRESS.")

Sir,—As one who always is interested in the educational affairs of the Colony and had once responded to the appeal for subscription by the Wah Yan College, may I ask, through the medium of your esteemed paper, a few questions concerning the College.

In your correspondence, column yesterday, Mr. Peter Tai, the Principal of Wah Yan College, said, "There has been no sale whatever of the school nor will there be. . . . The Jesuit Fathers, of whom five immediately join the staff, will take over the management at the end of this year." What does this mean? Will the Wah Yan College, which was organised and has always been managed by Chinese, all of a sudden belong to the Jesuit Fathers, or to the Mission, after the end of this year?

Again, Mr. Tai said, "The property belongs to the Mission of which Bishop Vallarta is the Head." Does this property include the laboratory and the furniture of the school?

It is known to the students and their parents that the Wah Yan College is entirely a Chinese concern, and therefore my questions in regard to the drastic changes at the College should prove to be of great interest to the Chinese.—Yours, etc.

WANT PLAIN FACTS.

Hong Kong, August 24.

NEW COMMODORE.

ARRIVAL IN COLONY
YESTERDAY.

The 'Broad Pendant' of Captain E. McW. Lawrie as a Commodore 2nd class will be hoisted in H.M.S. Folkestone at 8 a.m. on Saturday. A salute will be fired by H.M.S. Folkestone and returned by H.M.S. Tamar.

The Broad Pendant of Commodore Walker will be struck in Tamar at sunset on Saturday and Commodore Lawrie's Broad Pendant will be transferred to Tamar at 8 a.m. on Sunday. A salute is to be fired by Folkestone at 8 a.m. on Monday.

Commodore Edward McDonald Wyndham Lawrie, D.S.O., who is to relieve Captain A. H. Walker, O.B.E., R.N., arrived in the Colony yesterday morning on board the P. & O. s.s. Ranchi.

Captain Lawrie, who saw service throughout the war, was promoted to his present rank on December 31, 1923. He was mentioned in dispatches, receiving his D.S.O. in 1919.

He commanded the destroyer depot ship in the Mediterranean and was also in command of the H.M.S. Comus, of the Second Cruiser Squadron, Mediterranean Fleet.

Appointed Captain in Charge at Simonstown in 1920, he held this post until last year.

Captain Lawrie, was born in 1882. He married the daughter of Commander James Evans, R.N.

Captain Walker, who returns to England soon, was appointed Commodore at Hong Kong on September 10, 1930. He was promoted to Captain in June, 1920, and previously commanded H.M.S. 'Warrior' of the First Battle Squadron, Mediterranean Fleet.

in Continental countries, particularly Germany, and to the fact that these attacks are often justified on the ground that they are directed against so-called "foreign" Jews. Dr. Sokolow expressed the hope that ultimately Palestine will be strong enough to claim membership of the League of Nations, and so be able to make direct representations on these matters.

CHENG KWOK YAU FOUND "GUILTY!"

DRAMATIC SCENES AT THE CLOSE OF FUNG MURDER TRIAL:
COURT THROGGED TO CAPACITY.

VERDICT AFTER ABSENCE OF FORTY MINUTES: FULL
REPORT OF JUDGE'S SUMMING UP.

FURTHER LEGAL ARGUMENT TO TAKE PLACE: SENTENCE
DEFERRED BY CHIEF JUSTICE.

The jury empanelled for the trial of Cheng Kwok Yau, returned a verdict of "Guilty" yesterday at the close of the summing up by the Chief Justice, Sir Joseph Kemp. They retired for forty minutes and returned to Court with a unanimous decision.

Following the verdict, Mr. Eldon Potter, leading Counsel for the defence, asked the Chief Justice to reserve the legal points which he had mentioned in the earlier part of the trial. It was arranged that the points should be brought up by Mr. Potter this morning. Sentence on Cheng Kwok Yau was deferred.

The closing stages of the trial passed with dramatic rapidity. Mr. Potter's address was early concluded and the Chief Justice's summing up was very brief. The latter is reported in full below.

The Court-room was thronged to capacity. Prominent among those present were members of the legal profession, who turned up practically *en bloc* to watch the closing stages of what must go down as one of the most remarkable trials in the history of the Colony.

SUMMING UP ON "BROAD AND GENERAL LINES."

In summing up, His Lordship said:—I have considered carefully how I ought to sum up this case and I have decided not to sum up in the usual detail but to deal with the case on broad and general lines. I have come to that decision because I realise you have followed the case with close attention, and, I believe, with unusual and competent judgment.

You have also heard Counsel for the Crown and the very full and detailed analysis of the evidence by leading Counsel for the defence and though I do not intend to deal again with any of those details I would ask you to bear in mind and weigh carefully all the points that has been put to you by Counsel on both sides, particularly, if I may say so, those put to you on behalf of the defence.

The charge in this case is an unusual one. The crime charged is that of "accessory to the fact before a murder." To establish that charge, the Crown has to prove four things:—

- 1.—That the murder was committed.—That they have done.
- 2.—That the murder was committed by Wong Nam Sheung and Tsui Yung Sang.—Whatever opinion you may form of Tsui's evidence, I will come to that later, I think you will probably be satisfied that the fatal shot was fired by Wong and that Tsui was present at the time aiding and abetting and therefore guilty of murder.
- 3.—That the two men who committed the murder were procured by Lau as agent for somebody else.—There must be some question on this point, I will deal with it later.

Kernal of the Trial.

The fourth point that the Crown has to prove is that the accused is the man who employed Lau to commit this murder. That, of course, is the kernal of this trial.

There is one thing which has to be said in every criminal trial. You have heard it from Mr. Potter and you have heard it from the Crown. That is the question of suspicion and grave suspicion. Before you can find a verdict of "Guilty" you must be satisfied that the guilt is brought home to the accused beyond any reasonable doubt. Of course that does not mean a fantastic or fanciful doubt, but such a doubt as would make you pause in some serious affair in your own lives on which you cannot take a chance. You cannot take a chance with the prisoner. You must be certain.

Conditional Pardon.

I think I ought to say a few words on the question of the conditional pardon. The procedure provided by the law and one which was therefore open to the Attorney-General, was known. The scheme of the conditional pardon procedure is as follows:—"A" is arrested on suspicion of robbery. He makes a statement implicating himself and "B". The Crown feel that they have not sufficient material for the

conviction of "A" and "B" and not sufficient evidence for the conviction of "B" without the assistance of "A." They say to "A":—"We will obtain for you a conditional pardon if you will repeat on oath at the trial what you have told us about "B," and what we believe to be true." The condition of the pardon is not the conviction of "B" but simply that he gives at the trial full and true evidence for the prosecution. The prosecution in effect says: "We don't give you an absolute pardon because we don't trust you; you might go back on us and refuse to tell the truth."

Mr. Potter had put the matter to you, I have not the least doubt in all sincerity, as his considered view on the matter. I do think you are entitled to form your own opinion. It is misleading to say that in such a case the witness must throw the blame on someone else to earn the pardon, and to fight in the witness-box for his pardon. The way to earn it is to tell the truth and there is no need to try and implicate another man. He may have to fight in the witness-box, but the fight is to tell the truth.

"A Danger."

"Zimmern and Christie and Tsui Yung Sang are person, I think, not without some intelligence. Though you are entitled to a different view, I find it difficult to believe that they misunderstood the position with regard to the conditional pardon. Having said that, I should also like to say that: that the procedure has a danger. I don't think it ensures true evidence. I think there is this danger: it might tend to make a witness a little complacent and a little anxious to help the prosecution. That I think is a danger in the procedure. Take Tsui. Now, if Tsui is a man who is prepared to tell any lie to earn his pardon and if he thinks he must get the accused convicted in order to earn that pardon, it would be quite easy for him to invent some story implicating the accused. In fact his evidence does not implicate the accused at all. Though you may gather I am not an enthusiastic admirer of this procedure, it is not so objectionable as has been made out.

"Three Points."

Coming to the case, I will deal with it on broad and general lines. I think there are three points on which you will or may have to make up your minds. The first is, do you believe Tsui's evidence? The second is, do you believe Zimmern and Christie's evidence? The third is, if you believe both, and this is a distinct additional step, are they both together enough to satisfy you beyond reasonable doubt that the accused is guilty of the charge made against him.

As to Tsui's evidence, there is no doubt that Tsui either made his evidence agree with Ah To Nui, or else, as I should be rather inclined to think, shielded his friend, Ah To Nui. He did get into great

difficulties over the events on the night of March 10, and gave entirely different answers as to the persons present on that evening. He eventually settled down on the story that the persons present were himself, Wong and Ah To Nui.

In the course of his answers he had said that Lau was present on that evening and of course the defence points out that is an attempt on his part to drag in Lau. As I say, his final answer was that Lau was not present at all in the street that night. There is apparently very grave inconsistency and untruthfulness in his answers. In spite of that I think we may reasonably find that the evidence does establish the fact that the person who procured him and Wong to commit the murder was Ah Lau. Lau's association with the others was spoken of also by Cheung Ka Mo. Lau himself did not come forward here to deny his participation in the crime and I think we might reasonably find that Tsui's evidence does establish the fact that Lau was the man who procured Tsui and Wong to do the murder and must have done so on behalf of someone else, because he paid out \$2,000 in payment of the crime.

"Leading to Accused's Door."

I think at the same time you might quite reasonably say you are not satisfied on Tsui's evidence that Lau was the man who procured the actual murder. Then the case is at an end. Similarly on the other hand, if you believe the evidence that Lau was the man who procured the murder you will find a trail of evidence leading back from the time of the murder to the accused's own door. . . . to the chauffeur of the accused. That I think would itself clearly be insufficient to bring home the charge to the accused. There is a distinct gap between Tsui and the accused.

We have here one admitted fact and one high probability. The admitted fact is that the accused had lost Lai Ming Fai whom he had been supporting for years. Owing to the events of February 21 and 22, she had gone to live with George Fung. That is the fact. The probability is that anybody in the accused's position on that happening must feel resentment against the man who had taken the girl away. But resentment and anger is a very different thing from murderous hate and it is still far removed from active steps with a view to murder.

Still Not Enough.

In my opinion even adding that fact and that probability to Tsui there is still not enough to find the accused guilty.

I pass over to the Zimmern and Christie evidence. That of course is intended to prove two things. One, existence of murderous hate in the mind of the accused and secondly, that he took active steps towards the murder of Fung through other channels than that by

which Fung was ultimately murdered. I don't intend to analyse that evidence again. It has been done fully and carefully by learned Counsel for the defence but I do ask you to bear in mind the points which he had made and I would add this further point that before you can find—before you are satisfied beyond reasonable doubt—that this evidence of Zimmern and Christie tells against the accused, you must I think be prepared to find that different statements alleged to have been made by the accused were in fact made by him.

I am not going to analyse that evidence and point out the differences, improbabilities and inconsistencies again. It is for you to say whether in view of these differences, improbabilities and inconsistencies, you can say you are satisfied beyond reasonable doubt that the accused made these certain definite statements attributed to him.

"If you are Satisfied . . ."

If you are satisfied on that point and if you are also satisfied on the evidence of Tsui that Lau was the man who organised the murder and he did so as agent for somebody else, then you must ask yourself whether you take the third distinct final step of saying that these two things together bring home the charge against the accused. The position in that case of the assumption that you believe both group of evidence would be this: You have evidence that Lau, the accused own chauffeur was the man who organised the crime had some principal behind him. On the same assumption it is proved on the other side by what Zimmern and Christie said that the accused was, about the same time, filled with murderous hate against the deceased and was actually trying to get the man murdered by some other means. On that you could reasonably find that the accused was guilty of the crime charged against him. That is on the assumption that you believe both lots of evidence.

If you don't believe Zimmern and Christie, that is to say, not satisfied beyond reasonable doubt that it is true, then in my view, the verdict must be "Not Guilty" because as I pointed out to you the Tsui evidence though it leads to the accused's own door, stops short at the accused himself. On the other hand if you come to the conclusion that on the Tsui evidence you are not satisfied beyond reasonable doubt, the case must be at an end.

Coming back to the three points I put to you at the beginning. Are you satisfied beyond reasonable doubt on the Tsui evidence that Lau was the agent of the crime, as agent for someone else? Are you satisfied beyond reasonable doubt, in view of the difference of the evidence that the accused made the definite statements attributed to him by Zimmern and Christie. If your answer is "Yes" to both questions I think you might reasonably and prisoner guilty. But I think especially reasonable you might say, "even then we are not satisfied." If the answer to either of the two questions is "No," I think, in my view, the verdict must be "Not guilty."

Left to the Jury.

If I have expressed my view on any point indefinitely, I hope you will remember that you are entitled to disregard that view altogether. In fact you are bound to have your own views and they need no coincidence with mine.

I leave the case now in your own hands. The responsibility is in your own hands and I am sure you will discharge it with the greatest care and fullest confidence. No doubt you wish to retire.

The jury retired at 10.50 a.m. and returned into court at 11.20 a.m. During their absence, there was much chattering in Court, which was crowded to capacity with men and women.

There was a general hush when the jury filed back to their seats. None of them looked round the crowded court room or gave any sign by their expression as to what they had decided. Cheng in the dock studied the foreman. There was an awed silence when the Chief Justice entered the Court. The thin voice of the clerk of the Court then called "Cheng Kwok Yau." The latter stood erect, and adjusted his tie. He was told by the interpreter to remain standing. No traces of emotion of any kind was shown on his face. Then the clerk called the foreman of the jury. Cheng concentrated his attention on the foreman, the while the following (Continued on next column.)

POLICE STATION TRAGEDY.

DEATH OF RUSSIAN GUARD.

The Anti-Piracy Guards Headquarters at the old No. 7 Police Station was the scene of a suicide tragedy yesterday morning when a young Russian guard, invalided from the Hong Kong Police Force and only discharged from Hospital on Tuesday took his life with a service rifle.

When two other Russian guards who were occupying the room awoke yesterday morning, they found their companion lying on his bed covered in blood and the rifle lying by his side.

The deceased guard, Draity Vuovlodovitch Mikhailovsky, was engaged as an Anti-Piracy Russian Guard in May, 1930, and served in the Police Force as such until August 12 last, when he was invalided. He entered the Government Civil Hospital seriously ill and was discharged on Tuesday.

When the tragedy was discovered, shortly before 8 o'clock yesterday morning, it was found that the man, who was only 31 years of age had placed the muzzle of the rifle under his chin and had pulled the trigger, the bullet passing right through the head.

THE A.D.C.

FORTHCOMING PRODUCTION.

The theatre-going public will doubtless be interested to learn that the Hong Kong Amateur Dramatic Club has a play in active preparation for production in November, and local thespians may be assured of a continuation of the hearty support always accorded to their performances.

Owing to the closing of the Theatre Royal, the Club is having to contend with many difficulties, but every effort is being made to preserve its continuity and it is hoped shortly to make an announcement regarding the name of the play selected and the theatre at which it will be produced.

We feel sure that such an announcement will be received with general satisfaction, as even the temporary passing of such an old established institution could only be viewed with the greatest regret. The existing records of the A.D.C. show only six blank seasons in the past 63 years; and these at wide intervals.

ing question and answers transpired:—

Clerk: Have you agreed upon your verdict?

Foreman of the Jury: We have.

Clerk: Are you unanimous?

Foreman of the Jury: We are.

Clerk: How say you? Is the prisoner guilty or not guilty?

Foreman: Guilty!

The voice of the foreman was slightly above a whisper, yet when the word "Guilty" was pronounced it must have been heard throughout the Court—so still was the great audience when the questions and answers were in progress. Cheng seemed dazed by the verdict and looked at the foreman for quite a while. Then Mr. Potter's voice broke the silence. "My Lord," he said, "Will your Lordship reserve the points I have mentioned?"

The Chief Justice: Yes. I should like to have the points definitely stated in writing. I propose to adjourn for that purpose. What time do you think is sufficient to formulate the points?

Mr. Potter: To-morrow morning. Do you mean to have them put before you in Chambers?

The Chief Justice: No, in court.

Sentence Deferred.

Addressing the accused, through the interpreter, Sir Joseph Kemp said: "Cheng Kwok Yau, the jury have unanimously found you guilty. I propose to reserve certain points of law for consideration by the Full Court. In the meantime I shall postpone sentence." To the jury, he said "You, gentlemen, will not be required to attend. And I shall exempt you from further jury service for a period of 10 years."

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NOTICE.

HOCKEY FIXTURES SEASON
1932-1933.

SECRETARIES of Hockey Clubs are reminded that the meeting of team secretaries for arranging dates of fixtures for the coming season will be held in the lecture room at the Volunteer Headquarters at 5.30 p.m. on Friday, the 26th of August.

(Signed) JOHN E. POTTER,
Hon. Secretary,
HONG KONG HOCKEY CLUB.

[2487]

GREEN ISLAND CEMENT COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE is hereby given that at a Meeting of the Board of Directors of Green Island Cement Company, Limited, held at Exchange Building, Victoria, in the Colony of Hong Kong, on Wednesday, the 17th day of August, 1932, a Call of \$2.75 per share was made upon all the members holding shares, whose names appear in the Company's register of shareholders on the 17th day of August, 1932, upon which only \$1.00 per share has been paid, and it was determined that such Call should be paid on the 31st day of December, 1932, to the Company's Bankers, The Hong Kong & Shanghai Banking Corporation at their Head Office, Queen's Road Central, Victoria, aforesaid.

Upon presentation at the office of the Company of the Bankers' receipt for the payment of such Call, together with the Certificate of Shares, a note of the payment will be endorsed on the Certificate.

Dated this 17th day of August, 1932.
By Order of the Board,
ALLAN KEITH,
Secretary.

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that at SECOND INTERIM DIVIDEND OF TWO SHILLINGS per share on account of the financial year ending 31st March, 1933, has been declared by the Directors of the Company in Brisbane, payable to shareholders on the Registers at Brisbane and Singapore on THURSDAY, 22nd SEPTEMBER, 1932.

NOTICE IS ALSO HEREBY GIVEN that the SINGAPORE TRANSFER REGISTER will be CLOSED from WEDNESDAY, 14th SEPTEMBER, to WEDNESDAY, 21st SEPTEMBER, 1932 (Both Days inclusive), for the preparation of Dividend Warrants.

By Order of the Board,
DERRICK & CO.,
Chartered Accountants,
Local Secretaries.
Hong Kong Bank Chambers,
SINGAPORE, 22nd August, 1932.

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HONG KONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Certificate No. 6/NS 502 dated Hongkong 14th April, 1932 for Five shares of this Bank numbered 130792/130796 inclusive registered in the name of Richard Toovey has been Lost, Stolen or destroyed by Fire, and should this certificate not be produced to the Bank before 10th SEPTEMBER, 1932, a new certificate for the shares will be issued, and the said Certificate No. 6/NS 502 will be thereafter treated by this Corporation as Null and Void.

By Order of the Court of Directors,
V. M. GRAYBURN,
Chief Manager.

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Kwai TRAMWAYS COMPANY, LIMITED.

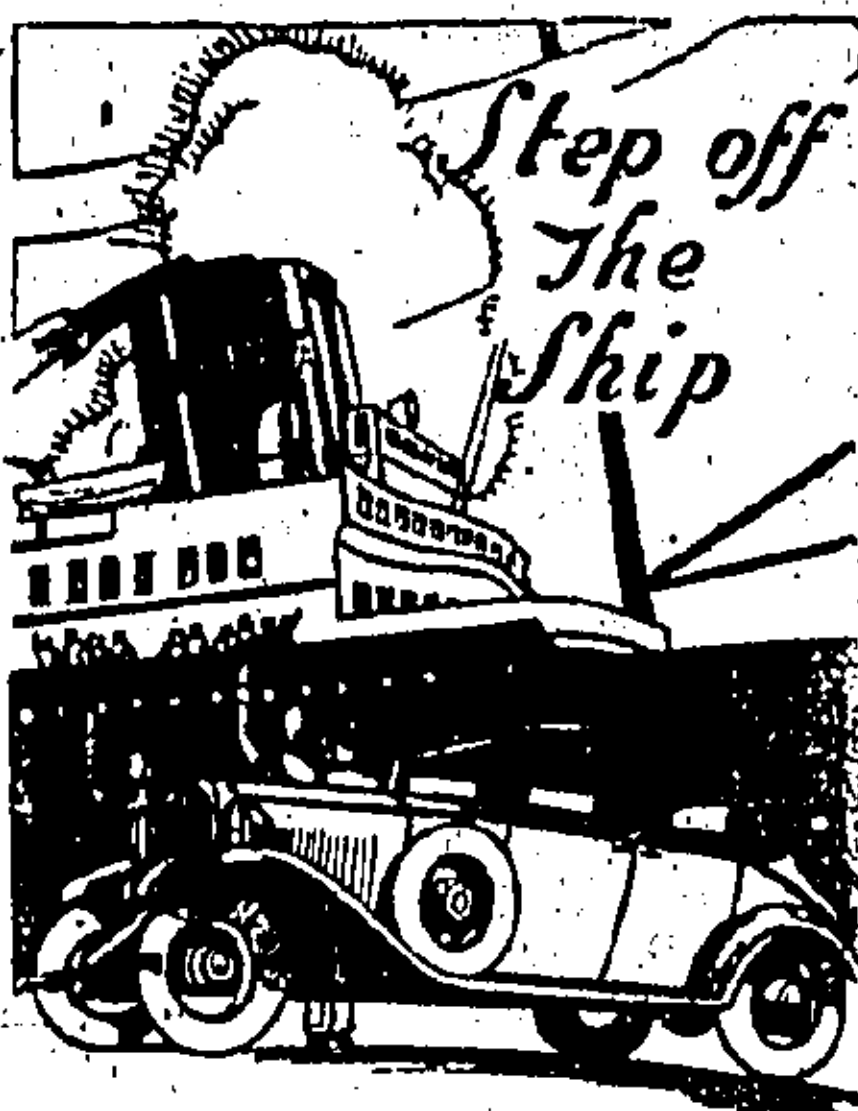
NOTICE.

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PROPAGANDA AND THE FILMS.

A film of no small technical merit, dealing with life in modern Russia, has recently been shown at a local theatre. Presumably it was one of a batch of pictures turned out of an American company and supplied to "chains" of cinema houses in much the same way that in England a brewery sends its bottles and casks of light and heavy beers to the "tied houses." The film in question gave a picture of the Tcheka, or Secret Police of Russia, representing the organisation as a miracle of ruthless efficiency. Nations, like individuals, have their natural aptitudes, and it may be that Russia's greatest gift lies in a power to organise and administer such an instrument of impeccable and infallible espionage. In many spheres of human activity Russia had, and still has, a great place. In the arts, for example, especially music, novel-writing film production and dancing she holds her own with any rival. But a methodical efficiency, almost mechanical in its working, seems out of character with other national characteristics.

It may be said that this was a mere film, a matter of an hour's entertainment; but that was not the claim on its behalf. We were solemnly assured in attendant propaganda that the film gave a real picture of modern Russia. It is a common, and most unfortunate device, in both books and films, to claim veracity, when, in point of fact, there is little or no approximation to the truth. One of the great advantages possessed by the drama, in all forms, theatrical, operatic and photographic, is that truth is not a necessary quality. Good entertainment is the essential. Within reasonable limits bad history matters not at all. Not one of Shakespeare's historical plays would bear close examination by

the scientific historian. But no one suggests that they are accurate history. The films, and particularly American films, make a grave error in claiming a quality which has in the long run more disadvantages than advantages. The mistake has arisen from the national characteristic of "giving nothing away." Therefore the most fantastic story, instead of being presented frankly as fiction, has to be heralded as the truth about the subject represented. We are asked to take "Wild West," exotic "College Life" and even "crook" dramas, as "true to life." How damaging to America that has been! Her film propagandists have told us so often that they are presenting the truth, that the whole world is coming to believe them.

Russia is, however, a bad subject for this form of propaganda. We all want to know the truth about Russia. There are plenty of interested parties ready to say that the Five Year Plan has failed, or, conversely, that it has succeeded beyond expectation, because, for some purpose of their own they wish us to form certain opinions and prejudices, quite irrespective of what the truth may be. Untruthful books and articles cancel each other out. The superficial reader acquires a healthy scepticism about the "revelations" of writers, and the careful student has material enough from which to sift some idea of the truth. But in a world of democratically governed countries it would be most unfortunate if millions of cinema-fans, who do little or no reading, except of the lightest sort, are to be led by propaganda films into an entirely false idea of Russia. One hopes that the subject will be left alone, because the truth matters. The film had better keep to domestic and crime dramas, or to historical characters, whose real nature and abilities are no longer of practical concern. If Russia cannot be left alone, at least the claim to truthful representation should be omitted from the usual list of superlatives with which each studio announces the merits of its productions.

Mr. Arthur Odell, who was managing director of the company, to be special manager of the business until the hearing of the petition and he (Mr. Taylor) applied for the appointment to be continued on the same terms.

EUROPE HOTEL LTD.
WOUND UP.

NO OBJECTION FROM CREDITORS.

The Europe Hotel, Ltd. was the petitioner for a winding-up order in the Supreme Court yesterday before Mr. Justice Whiteley, who, after hearing Mr. D. K. Walters, for the petitioner, allowed the petition.

Mr. C. H. Smith appeared for certain creditors, Messrs. Swan and MacLellan, who supported the petition, while Mr. E. N. Taylor appeared in his capacity as Official Receiver.

Mr. Walters, in asking for a winding-up order, said that they did not admit the whole of the debts which Mr. Smith's clients claimed, but they admitted owing \$99,000 and also other liabilities. It was desirable, if possible, to take out the order on that day and he asked his Lordship to approve of an actual draft order he had prepared, and which read, inter alia, as follows:

"The Court doth order that the said Europe Hotel Limited be wound up by this Court under the provisions of Ordinance No. 156 (Companies) and that the Official Receiver be constituted provisional liquidator of the affairs of the company, and it is ordered that the costs of the petitioner and of the said creditors supporting the said petition of and relating to the said petition including the costs of and consequent upon the appointment of the said Official Receiver as provisional liquidator be taxed and paid out of the assets of the said company."

Mr. Smith said that he supported Mr. Walters.

Special Manager.

Mr. Taylor said he was not in court to oppose or support the petition but he understood his Lordship was inclined to grant the petition and in that case he would make an ancillary application for the appointment of a special manager. During the interim between the presentation of the petition and the hearing of it, the Chief Justice, on an ex parte motion on the part of the Official Receiver, appointed

(Continued on next column.)

★ News and Views ★

Death Penalty for Arson.

The People's Assembly of Siam has passed a resolution to reduce the term of imprisonment of a number of prisoners and grant an amnesty to others to mark the establishment of a constitutional monarchy.

It is expected that resolution will come into effect at an early date.

The question of altering the criminal law to increase the severity of the punishment for arson and counterfeiting was discussed but postponed until next week.

It was suggested that when arson resulted in the loss of life the court should be empowered to pass the death sentence or life imprisonment.

When the 'Planes Come In!

One hundred years ago it was a great novelty to "watch the train come in." This year few went to stations for amusement, except perhaps in China, but most nerodromes on public routes report that crowds of daily visitors "watch the 'planes come in.'" What they will watch "come in" 100 years from now!

Clouds of Parrots!

The owner of a sheep station near Adelaide, Mr. Byron McLachlan, has reported flights of large numbers of brilliantly plumed shell parrots which are colouring the skies of central Australia.

Mr. McLachlan was awakened as early as 5 a.m. in the morning by a whirling noise and discovered these birds sweeping overhead in millions. "They were like clouds at times," he said, "and actually darkened the sky." To estimate their number would be impossible, the observer said, although he believed that any number from 1,000,000 to 10,000,000 passed over every 10 minutes.

They were going to attend either an economic or a disarmament conference!

Mr. Taylor: Until further order.

Mr. Smith: I thought this would probably be a very good idea of a temporary measure until the meeting of creditors decide whether some other man shall be appointed manager.

Mr. Taylor: If your Lordship says, 'until meeting of creditors,' other difficulties might arise. I suggest 'until further order.'

Mr. Smith: Until further order, with liberty to apply.

His Lordship made an order for the continuance of the appointment until further order, with liberty to apply and subject to Mr. Taylor filing his application petition. He initialled the draft order which Mr. Walters had handed in to Court.

Practical Help.

Chicago learns that its once richest woman, Mrs. Edith Rockefeller McCormick, has sacrificed many millions to protect small investors. This protection extends to hundreds holding an interest in her real estate companies. She closes her Lake Shore Drive show-place, lives at a hotel, and takes the trunk of huge market value shrinkages for what she regards as an excellent reason—she can stand it, while the little fellow who trusted her could not.

Interpretation of Spain's new Constitution provokes discussion of a lively question. In giving women equal rights with men, did the Constitution mean to give women permission to fight bulls? The new race of female matadors and their applauders say Yes; those to whom even masculine bull sticking is abhorrent say No. Public officials, appealed in particular by outraged male matadors—raise despairing hands. Deep legal points may be involved. But, more likely, the problem worrying the jurists is this: How shall a mere judge stop ladies who are not afraid of fierce Andalusian bulls?

"Wine and Water!"

More water and less wine is being drunk in Paris, according to an investigation by the "Friends of French Wine" Association. Statistics show that some restaurants now sell 135 bottles of mineral water for every 100 bottles of wine. These restaurants are mostly patronized by foreigners, but it is believed water is gaining popular favour among Frenchmen.

Inventiveness.

The United States Patent Bureau disclose the bright state of American inventiveness in 1931. The office granted 47,700 patents and designs to citizens, an average of one for each 2996 Americans. The largest number of patents went to New York, Illinois, Pennsylvania, Ohio, and California. But aggregate totals do not tell the tale of mental alertness along new lines. Connecticut leads the country, with a patent to each 1105 citizens.

F.M.S. Public Opinion.

A scheme is afoot at Kuala Lumpur, to organise public opinion in the F.M.S. on lines similar to the Straits Settlements Association. The proposed name of the new body is the Malay States Association. It will be open to British subjects, British protected persons and naturalised British subjects.

The objects contemplated by the Association are, firstly, to represent, express and give effect to the opinion of the British community residing in the Malay States; secondly, to promote or oppose legislative and other measures affecting the community; and, thirdly, to consider all questions affecting the whole or any section of the community.

Local and General

The Hong Kong dollar was quoted yesterday at 1/4d.

One case of cholera and one of enteric were reported on Tuesday.

How a coolie's carelessness in dress got him into trouble was related at the Kowloon Magistracy before Mr. Fraser yesterday morning, when Sergeant Tuckett prosecuted a Chinese for stealing two pairs of trousers from the first floor verandah of a house in Shamshui-poo.

Sergeant Tuckett said defendant was seen by a Chinese detective, whose attention was drawn to him by the fact that the man was wearing three pairs of trousers, each outside one being shorter than the inner!

The detective made inquiries and defendant admitted having stolen the trousers. Sentence of six weeks' was passed.

from the files.

Looking Back 25 Years.

Sir,—I do not notice in your report of the fire at the Naval Yard any grateful tribute to your gallant firemen. I saw them going with the engines. It was an inspiring sight. Drawn by coolies, one policeman and one fireman, one of the engines dashed past at the rate of 3,520 yards an hour. I timed it. My companion, a little shortsighted, took off his hat. He said he thought it was a military funeral. If they had known that the burning sheds contained coal, and the distance they still had to go, they might have gone even a little faster. But I suppose they didn't know. When flying machines supersede motors, I guess your fire bugs will be going in for a team of mules.

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LOWER LAW COSTS.

CONTRIBUTION BY BAR TO ECONOMY.

Barristers, as well as solicitors, are contributing to the reduction of the costs of litigation. The Lord Chancellor announces that in order to join in the movement for economy the Bar Council have agreed to a modification of the two-thirds rule relating to the fees of junior counsel acting with a leader.

This is a concession for litigants equal in importance to the decision of the Law Society to reduce their bill of costs in respect of the 13-13 allowance introduced after the war. The 33-13 per cent. is to be reduced to 25 per cent. in respect of contested matters brought into court; and 20 per cent. in respect of non-contentious business.

Hitherto it has been a traditional practice at the Bar for the junior counsel to demand two-thirds of the fee marked on the leader's brief. As a result of the Bar Council decision, in cases where the leader's fee is 150 guineas the junior might still demand 100 guineas, but if the leader's fee is over 150 guineas (say, 300 guineas) any excess over the 100 guineas paid to the junior would be a matter of agreement between the junior and the client's solicitors.

It will thus be seen that the modification only affects those cases in which the leader received more than 150 guineas, which are by no means exclusively the cases in which "fashionable" silks are engaged. The repercussion of this modification upon the incomes of barristers' clerks will in many cases be considerable.

"GOOD CONDUCT."

EVERY TOWN IN FRANCE AFFECTED BY NEW ORDER

News that all foreigners applying for a French identity card after two months' residence in France will have to produce a "certificate of good conduct" from the police in their native countries has created some consternation in Paris.

It was reported at first that this would only be applicable to visitors on the Riviera, but I understand it is a general order extending to every town and city in France.

According to the order the certificate must date back at least three months. Complications have arisen, however, because in England at least "casiers judiciaires," or police files, on every individual do not exist. As a result it is impossible to obtain certificates from the home police. Consular circles have been embarrassed as a result, and are unable to give any British subject the required certificate of good conduct.

Nothing has yet been decided as to what can be done about it. So far no representations have been made to the French authorities by the British, although the American representatives in Paris have pointed out their difficulty. Inconvenience may, therefore, be caused to British visitors wanted to obtain their French identity papers in the near future. Scores of applications have already been received for these certificates at the British Consulate in Paris.

The new regulation is probably a result of the stringent police measures concerning the entry of foreigners to France following the assassination of the President, M. Doumer.

EUROPE TO CAPE TOWN.

SHOESMITH'S ATTEMPT IN MOTOR-BOAT.

Friedrichshafen, August 5.—If the gods are kind Cape Town may have the opportunity of welcoming a hold shoesmith of Olching, a Bavarian village near Lake Constance, who is setting out thither in a motor-boat.

The boat, which he has constructed himself, was launched amid a great concourse to-day. In it he and a former war aviator, Josef Stabel, intend leaving Lake Constance shortly and making their way down the Rhine, and then over the canal to the Rhone, thence to the Mediterranean, along the coasts of France and Spain to Gibraltar, through the Straits of Gibralt, and down the West Coast of Africa to Cape Town, where a prolonged rest will be taken before coming back by the East Coast of Africa and the Suez Canal.

In addition to the shoesmith and the aviator two sailors, Robert Schmidt and Georg Echter, from Arburg, will man the boat.

INDIA COMMUNAL
AWARDSIKHS AND HINDUS
PROTEST

[BRITISH WIRELESS SERVICE.]

RUEBY, Aug. 23.
THE Indian Press of all shades of opinion has been filled with comments on the Government's communal award, which has aroused greater interest in India than any other publication since the Simon Report.

Opinion is shown to follow the anticipated lines. The National Press, which is predominantly Hindu, expresses intense indignation, but it is difficult to say to what extent its protests are based on general National feeling and to what extent it is inspired by Hindu communalist motives. The Moslems are seemingly beginning to realise the solid advantages gained, especially in the Punjab.

Sikh denunciations are vehement and are based on strong feeling. For the depressed classes, Mr. Rajah has expressed disapproval, but little has yet been heard from Mr. Ambedkar's group.

The opinions so far expressed on behalf of the other minorities are not unfavourable.

LONDON SLUM
CLEARANCEGROSVENOR AND EBURY
SCHEMES

[BRITISH WIRELESS SERVICE.]

RUEBY, Aug. 23.
THE success of two schemes for moving slum dwellers to modern flats is described in the report on the Grosvenor and Ebury Housing schemes issued by the Westminster City Council yesterday.

The Grosvenor scheme cost £431,600, of which the Duke of Westminster contributed £113,600 and the land on which 150 flats were completed between April, 1931, and March, 1932.

On the Ebury Bridge site where the buildings cost £107,500, all the 200 flats are now occupied.

Both estates record a striking improvement in the condition of the premises as compared with the former dwellings.

Figures show that the number of these special premises increased from 278 to 330 while the indifferent premises fell from 95 to 41.

The Garden Guild on the Ebury Bridge Estate, formed by the tenants to which all members contribute 2d. a month, has been remarkably successful.

COTTON DISPUTE
OUTLOOKMEN AND EMPLOYEES TO
MEET

[BRITISH WIRELESS SERVICE.]

RUEBY, Aug. 23.
REPRESENTATIVES of both the employers and men in the Lancashire cotton dispute to-day accepted the invitation of the Deputy Mayor of Manchester to a joint meeting at the Manchester Town Hall to-morrow.

As a result of this favourable development, textiles were substantially higher on exchange this evening.

MOLLISON SCION
RETURNINGTALKS TO WIFE BY RADIO
PHONE

[BRITISH WIRELESS SERVICE.]

RUEBY, Aug. 23.
MR. J. A. MOLLISON informed his wife by trans-Atlantic telephone this evening that he intends to leave the United States in three or four days.

He will fly to Harbour Grace, Newfoundland, to refuel for his return flight across the Atlantic.

FACE POWDER IN 400 B.C.

WHAT PROFESSOR'S
ANALYSIS REVEALED.

White face powder manufactured about 400 B.C. in a jar which Professor T. Leslie Shear obtained in 1930 from a woman's grave in Corinth has been analysed by Professor William Foster, of Princeton University Chemistry Department. Professor Foster's report shows that early cosmetics contained carbonate of lead or pyrrhonite as described by Pliny and other early writers, and that its manufacture varies little from contemporary processes for obtaining white paint pigment by the so-called Dutch process.

Professor Shear's find included a small terra cotta toilet box in the sarcophagus, which also included vases and dated silver coin.

MONARCHIST PLOT
SEQUELGENERAL SANJURJO ON
TRIAL

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

Madrid, Aug. 24.
HUNDREDS of people, including many women, waited for hours to secure admission to the Palace of Justice at the trial of General Sanjurjo, the first Spanish general to be tried in a Civil Court for rebellion for which the Public Prosecutor asked for the death penalty.

General Sanjurjo, who presented an insignificant figure dressed in a dark suit, appeared to be depressed as he entered the Palace escorted by police and surrounded by friends. He was not present at the opening of the Court, having been permitted to remain in a neighbouring room during the preliminaries.

Madrid is agog with excitement, young Socialists are plastering the walls with flaming-red posters depicting a figure symbolising the end of Centuries' triumph of military justice over civil, and Deputies were inundated with telegrams demanding death, though the President is understood to share the Socialist's objection to capital punishment on principle.

A verdict is not expected before late to-night.

ARCTIC TRAGEDY

H. G. WATKINS DROWNED

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

COPENHAGEN, Aug. 23.
The Greenland Administration announces that the explorer, H. G. Watkins, the leader of the Greenland Air Survey, perished in a canoe accident.

THE BOYCOTT
MOVEMENT.MORE SHANGHAI BODIES
PLEDGE SUPPORT.

The latest Chinese trade guilds in Shanghai which have pledged their support to the anti-Japanese boycott movement are the Paper Merchants Association, the Hat Shop Proprietors Association, the Book Shop Owners Association, the Sundry Goods Dealers Association, and the Silk Products Weaving Factory Owners Association.

In an interview with press representatives, a spokesman of the Paper Merchants Association stated that a circular had been issued by the Association, ordering its members to refrain from dealing in Japanese goods and in order to find out whether the order was being obeyed by its members, the Association had formed a picketing group.

Dealing with the question of Japanese paper exports to China, the spokesman stated that, so far as Shanghai was concerned, the Japanese paper imports had shown a considerable decrease since the Association decided to revive the boycott. The domestic products were far from sufficient to meet local demands, so the merchants were compelled to use the products imported from America, Sweden, Germany and England, according to the spokesman.

In a report to the Chinese General Chamber of Commerce the Shanghai Book Shop Owners Association stated that a resolution had been adopted by it to forbid local book shops to purchase Japanese goods and in the event of any shop being found to have ignored the resolution, the Association would impose upon it a fine amounting to the value of Japanese goods purchased. Any shop refusing to obey the orders of the Association would be dismissed from the Association's membership, the report further stated.

Match Industry.

Circular notices denouncing the Japanese Imperialists for their alleged aggressions in Manchuria and Shanghai and exhorting the merchants to rigidly enforce the anti-Japanese boycott movement have been issued by the Hat Shop Proprietors Association, the Sundry Goods Dealers Association, and the Silk Products Weaving Factory Owners Association. Chinese products transported by Japanese firms will likewise be banned from sale according to a letter sent by the Greater Shanghai Chinese General Chamber of Com-

WORLD ECONOMIC
CONFERENCEHOOVER SAYS SILVER WILL
BE DISCUSSED

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

SALT LAKE CITY, Aug. 23.
AN assurance that silver will be discussed at the world economic conference was given by President Hoover to Senator Reed Smoot, chairman of the Senate Finance Committee. He added that someone with knowledge of the question (which is of special interest to Salt Lake City as a big silver producing centre) will be appointed to the United States delegation to the conference.

COL. STIMSON'S
SPEECH.LONDON JOURNAL ADVISES
CAUTION FOR BRITAIN.

London, August 18.—A new appeal to British public opinion against all initiative or intervention in international affairs, even in the League of Nations, was made yesterday by the *Evening Standard*, representing a sort of Monroe Doctrine for the British Empire.

According to the journal, the intervention of Col. Henry L. Stimson, the U.S. Secretary of State, offers more danger than benefit since if the United States forsakes its isolation policy and intervenes in world affairs, it will naturally expect England to follow her and in this the journal sees a threat to the peace of the Empire since it does not doubt that the Lytton Report will be unfavourable to Japan and that the publication of this document might lead to the withdrawal of Japan from the League. This withdrawal will once more cause to be brought up the question of Japan's Mandates in the Pacific, a question which will not fail to arouse American public opinion. It is on account of the fear of consequences of the Sino-Japanese conflict and their repercussions in America that the journal counsels complete non-intervention as the most prudent course to follow under the circumstances.

To approve too enthusiastically of Col. Stimson's speech, the editorial continues, would be dangerous since that would mean British responsibility in an affair which is scarcely profitable to British interests. Great Britain must let it be understood, it concludes, on the first possible occasion that she does not desire to get mixed in the affairs of others, as she has been invited to do.

THE ENGLISHMAN'S
QUALITIES.VIEW OF FAMOUS FRENCH
BIOGRAPHER OF BYRON.

The English do not take their pleasures or even their troubles, easily, in the view of M. Andre Maurois, who has just returned to Paris from a visit to England.

M. Maurois, the biographer of Byron, Shelley and Disraeli, knows his England well, and was hardly surprised to see that the economic crisis and financial worries had not dampened the English spirit.

"In America," he writes, "the crisis is an obsession. People go about looking as if a catastrophe had occurred. But in London, if the crisis is one of the subjects of conversation, it is not the only one. It is quickly dropped for remarks on the Irish sweep, the Barney case, the London bridges, or sweet peas." Londoners, he explains, are still enjoying their amusements as usual. Not from ignorance, negligence or pride, but because the Englishman, both in his private and national life, prefers to hide his feelings.

Calm, a sense of humour, a refusal to envisage defeat—all great qualities—states M. Maurois, are to be met with in England to-day. He has, moreover, found a greater comprehension than heretofore of the difficulties of Europe and a greater desire to come to an understanding with the Continental nations, especially with France.

LEESANG BADLY
HOLEDCALCHAS COLLIDES WITH
JARDINE STEAMER

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

SHANGHAI, Aug. 24.
DURING driving rain, the incoming Calchas to-day collided with the Jardine Matheson Leesang, which was making out to sea. The Leesang was badly holed and her holds were immediately flooded.

To prevent her from sinking, Captain C. M. Cater successfully beached her downstream.

At the time of the crash the a.s. Calchas was swinging in to a body.

In Hong Kong
To-Day

SOME LOCAL RAIN.

YESTERDAY'S WEATHER REPORT, FORECAST AND REMARKS, ISSUED BY THE ROYAL OBSERVATORY AT 5.25 P.M., STATED:—
THE TYPHOON IS SITUATED ABOUT 250 MILES E.N.E. OF FOCHOW MOVING WESTWARDS, AND THREATENING THE COAST BETWEEN FOCHOW AND WENCHOW.

LOCAL FORECAST:—W. AND N.W. WINDS, MODERATE TO FRESH; FAIR GENERALLY, SOME LOCAL RAIN.

TYPHOON WARNING.

The following typhoon warning has been received by the American Consulate-General from Manila Observatory:—
Manila, August 24, 3.10 p.m.—Typhoon or cyclone in about 133° Long. E. 9° Lat. N. moving W.

LIABLE TO FINE
OF \$1,000.ESCAPED CHINESE COSTS
SHIP'S OFFICER \$5.

Brought up on a charge which carries a maximum penalty of a fine of \$1,000, the Chief Officer of the K.P.M. s.s. Van der Lijn, B. Wagner, was fined \$5 and 30 cents today by Mr. C. Wilson, the Criminal District Judge, Singapore, for allowing a Chinese passenger to land in that Colony from the ship after he had been served with a notice from the police that the man was not to be allowed to land in Singapore.

Mr. B. F. Oakeshott, A.S.P., who was prosecuting, said that on July 7 the Chinese, Ee Lan Hak, arrived in Singapore, was taken off by the passport officer and was detained until the return of the Van der Lijn. The Chinese had no means of subsistence and had no prospect of work in Singapore.

A notice was served on the Chief Officer that the man was refused permission to land. About a week later a detective saw the Chinese in Singapore. The man said that he had been allowed to land shortly before the ship sailed with the knowledge of the Chief Officer.

The Chief Officer, in his defence, said he had put a man to watch the Chinese who was not locked up. He thought everything was in order, but when the boat sailed he found that the man had disappeared and, when questioned, the guard replied that the man had broken loose.

Mr. Oakeshott said he did not want to press the charge, but he would like a nominal fine inflicted. In fining the accused his Honour told him to lock the man up in future.

G.C.H. DRESSER
CHARGED.FALSE PRETENCES
ALLEGED.

An unusual form of "squeeze" is alleged to have entered into an interview the other day between a Chinese dresser at the Government Civil Hospital and a woman patient.

The dresser, Chan Sui Wan, was charged before Mr. Wynne Jones at the Central Magistracy yesterday, with obtaining \$3 from the woman by a false pretence. He was remanded on bail of \$500.

For the police, Inspector Dorling stated that the woman was recently admitted to the hospital for treatment of a wound over the eye. A number of stitches were put in by the surgeon, and the woman was discharged the following day, but continued her visits as an out-patient.

On one of these visits, she saw

AN INTERVIEW WITH
HONJO.JAPANESE COMMANDER ON
DEATH OF MA CHAN SHAN.SERIOUS VIEW OF
MANCHURIAN FLOODS.

General Honjo, who has just been promoted to be a War Councilor from the Commandership of the Kwantung Garrison, will leave Mukden for home on the arrival of his successor, General Muto. During the past few days, he has been visiting many points at the front by air with the double object of inspecting and saying good-bye to the officers and men.

On his return to Mukden, he was interviewed by the *Asahi's* correspondent, to whom he said that he has been in his present post for a year, as it was on August 1 that he was appointed, and the 20th of the same month that he landed at Dairen.

Ma Chan Shan, Asked if there is any doubt of the death of General Ma Chan Shan, General Honjo replied that what with the flood and intense heat, the bodies of the men killed in battle are putrefied very quickly, so that it is no easy task to identify the body of General Ma. It is nevertheless certain that he was killed.

General Honjo saw the bars of gold said to have been kept by General Ma to the last moment. Each piece was 1.5 inches wide and 5 inches long. They were plates of gold and the number was given in the telegraphic report, the number was given that the actual number of these bars was 23. Exactly of what value they are, the Japanese General cannot say, but he thinks that they will amount to a big sum. There was also a large collection of gold bracelets and rings.

The Floods.

Referring to the disastrous floods in North Manchuria, General Honjo said that they are simply terrible. At Fuchien, near Harbin all houses were flooded and thousands of people were taking refuge on the roofs. It is said that these refugees total about 30,000. They are said to be the severest floods experienced for twenty years. The damage to the western section of the Chinese Eastern Railway is comparatively slight, but the Tielishan-Keshan line is submerged by the overflow of the Nonni river.

The districts along the line are turned into a virtual lake. The southern section of the Chinese Eastern Railway is also flooded in consequence of the overflowing of the Sungari river. The losses from these floods must be enormous. Every sympathy must be felt for the Japanese officers and men who are fighting bandits in the face of these floods and scorching heat. It is an ill wind that blows nobody good, however. For it was due to the torrential rains that the Japanese troops made short work of General Ma Chan Shan.

Manchukuo

Asked his view on the prospects of Manchukuo, the retiring Commander of the Kwantung Garrison replied that the new State is making favourable progress. Now that General Ma is no more to harass Manchukuo, the other bodies of bandits can be dealt with comparatively easily. In short, it may be said that the foundations of Manchukuo have already been firmly laid.

General Honjo differed with the *Asahi's* correspondent who suggested that the resignation of General Chang Hsueh Liang is merely a farce put up by the trio actors of General Chiang Kai Shek, Mr. Wang Chin Wei and General Chang Hsueh Liang.

OLD CHINA HAND.

DEATH OF CAPTAIN
BOUSFIELD.

News of the death of Captain Daniel Bousfield, master of the s.s. Tai Lee, will be learned with regret by a large circle of friends in Hong Kong and along the China Coast generally.

The deceased, who was 72 years of age, had been in the East for very many years. He entered the Government Civil Hospital a little more than three weeks ago, and despite all that could be done for him, he passed away this morning.

The following day when he again called, he reminded her of the previous terms. She was then compelled to interview a clerk in the reception office, who reported her statement to the surgeon. The present proceedings ensued.

Mr. Leo D'Almeida e Castro, Snr., is appearing for the defence.

Eventually, the woman offered \$3 and he accepted the money. The following day when she again called, he reminded her of the previous terms. She was then compelled to interview a clerk in the reception office, who reported her statement to the surgeon. The present proceedings ensued.

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THREAT OF OPEN
CIVIL WAR?HITLERS OUTBURST
CAUSES CONCERN

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

BERLIN, Aug. 23.
Herr Hitler's challenge to the Chancellor, Captain von Papen, following the death sentences on five Nazis at Beuthen, has caused a widespread sensation.

The atmosphere is charged with tension and internal strife is feared.

Government circles express the opinion that Hitler has done the worst possible service to the condemned men and to the Fascist (Nazi) Party by his seathing denunciation of the Papen Government and by identifying himself with the five murderers.

It is extremely difficult, they allege, for von Papen to show leniency in the case as it might be regarded as a yielding to Nazi pressure.

The Ministry of Justice is awaiting a report from the judge who presided at the trial and no decision is expected before the end of next week.

Indignation Manifesto.

LATER.

The indignation in Government circles over Hitler's outburst and the provoking language of the Nazi newspapers, is reflected in a manifesto, just issued by the Government declaring that all attempts to tamper with the principles of a constitutional State and to excite political passions will be promptly counteracted.

The law will be enforced against everyone regardless of persons and party, declares the manifesto.

Not to be Intimidated.

The Prussian Government is not to be intimidated by political pressure in the case of the convicted Nazis.

Hitler's telegram to the prisoners is regarded as tantamount to a threat of open civil war unless the von Papen Government commutes these sentences.

"Your liberty from now is a question of our honour," declared Hitler.

"To fight against a government which has rendered possible such happenings is our duty," Cologne Outrage.

Cologne, Aug. 23.

A few hours after the five Nazis at Beuthen had been sentenced to death, a party of Communists attempted to murder a Nazi adherent in his bed at Duisburg.

They fired ten shots through the bedroom window. The Nazi was not hit, but his wife was wounded in the right side. Three of the Communists were (Continued on next column.)

FROM CHINESE
NEWSPAPERS.

The Nanking Government has ordered General Tang Yu Lin to defend Jehol against Japanese invasion. Reinforcements have been despatched by Marshal Chang Hsueh Liang from Peiping to the Jehol border.

The Peiping Chinese Chamber of Commerce has given orders to all members not to sell or buy Japanese goods. Heavy penalties will be imposed on offenders.

It is officially stated that the resignation of Mr. Ko Men Yu, Minister of Railways, has been accepted by the Nanking Government, and it is learned that Mr. Wang Ching Wei will be appointed to his post.

It is reported that Mr. T. V. Soong, Finance Minister, will proceed to Nanking to-day to take over the position of acting Chairman of the Executive Yuan.

It is reliably reported that Mr. Sun Fo will proceed to Shanghai to-morrow.

Shanghai Japanese Merchants have organised a Volunteer corps and it is feared that more trouble will arise.

It is reported from Nanking that Marshal Li Chai Sum has entered a hospital in Nanking. The Government has granted him three weeks' leave.

The Third Plenary Session of the Central Government formerly fixed for the 25th instant has been officially postponed until further notice.

A Chinese comrade employed in a Japanese firm in Hankow has received a warning from the 'Anti-Japanese Society' requesting him to resign immediately.

According to a speech by a Manchurian post employee over forty aerodromes have been constructed in various parts of Manchuria by the Manchukuo Government.

The Nanking Government has refused to accept the resignation of Mr. Lo Wen Kai the Foreign Minister.

General Tsai Ting Kai has wired to General Chiang Kwang Nai urging him to proceed to Fuhien immediately to take up his post.

Inter arrested. It is alleged that the Nazi on whose life the attempt was made was formally a Communist and it is believed that the crime was an act of revenge.

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HOME CRICKET.

SUSSEX FALL BY THE WAY.

YORKSHIRE NOW ALMOST ASSURED OF CHAMPIONSHIP HONOURS.

(THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.)

LONDON, Aug. 23. With Sussex dropping first innings points to Warwickshire, the long and tense race for the cricket championship title is now almost over. Sussex stumbled by the way to allow Yorkshire to forge ahead and practically assure themselves of the honours. The latter now require but fifteen points to retain the title which they have held fifteen times in the course of thirty-five seasons.

Sussex were lucky to escape outright defeat by Warwick, whereas Yorkshire always had plenty in hand against Surrey. Features of the county programme were the innings successes gained by Kent, Hampshire, Derbyshire, Lancashire and All India.

The results of the matches with the most noteworthy batting and bowling performances are given below:—

County Championship.

Lancashire (340-4 dec.) beat Somerset (157 and 88) by an innings and 101 runs at Blackpool.
Kent (277 and 284-8 dec.) beat Middlesex (121 and 288) by 152 runs at Lord's.
Yorkshire (215 and 135-7) beat Surrey (231 and 118) by three wickets at the Oval.
Hampshire (343-8 dec.) beat Glamorgan (108 and 92) by an innings and 143 runs at Bourne-mouth.
Derby (360) beat Northant (103 and 143) by an innings and 123 runs at Chesterfield.
Warwick (320 and 120-4 dec.) beat Sussex (220 and 188-7) on 1st innings at Eastbourne.

Friendly Match.

All India (412-8 dec.) beat Leicesters (106 and 291) by an innings and 18 runs at Leicester.

HONOURS LIST.

Batting.

Wazir Ali (All India) 178
Brown, G. (Hampshire) 123
Snary, H. C. (Leicester) 124
Rev. J. H. Parsons (Warwick) 104
Watson, E. (Lancashire) 101
B. H. Valentine (Kent) 94
Hobbs, J. B. (Surrey) 90
Kennedy, A. S. (Hampshire) 7 for 23
and 6 for 43
Townsend, L. (Derby) 7 for 31
Cox, A. (Northants) 7 for 37
Bower, W. E. (Yorkshire) 6 for 49
Paine, C. (Warwick) 6 for 63
M. J. C. Allom (Surrey) 6 for 75

S. CHINA ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION.

SWIMMING GALA.

The results of the swimming gala held last night are as follows:—

(1) 100 Metres Men's Breast Stroke (open to the Colony):—1st, Kwok Tuen Hang, Time: 1:28'0; 2nd, Kwong Kee Chow, Time: 1:28'8; 3rd, Tse Kim Hung, Time: 1:31'8.

(2) 100 Metres Ladies' Free Style (open to the Colony):—1st, Young Sau King, Time: 1:25; 2nd, Leung Wai Han; 3rd, Mok Suk Koon.

(3) 50 Metres Men's Free Style (representing contestants excluded):—1st, Lam Cheong Cheung, Time: 20'6; 2nd, Leung Wai Sang, Time: 20'4; 3rd, Cheung Keng Chi, Time: 32'4.

(4) 50 Metres Ladies' Free Style (representing competitors excluded):—1st, Ching Siu Kee; 2nd, So To Suk Han; 3rd, Ching Siu Han.

(5) 50 Metres Men's Free Style:—1st, Chau Siu Kam; 2nd, Lam Cheong Cheung; 3rd, Cheung Wing Kwong and Leung Wai Sang.

(6) 100 Metres Children's Breast Stroke (under 14 years of age):—1st, Au Leung Wah; 2nd, Kan Yui Lim; 3rd, Wan Chiu Chi.

(7) Lantern Race (Men and Ladies):—1st, Wong Yuk Pui and Yuen Pui Han; 2nd, Leung Yuen Hung and So To Suk Ki; 3rd, Lau Hung Chi and Young Sau King.

(8) 100 Metres Men's Backstroke:—1st, Kwok Tuen Hang; 2nd, Cheung Wing Kwong; 3rd, Chau Siu Kam.

(9) Diving for Objects:—1st, Leung Wai Sang; 2nd, Chui Fook Tai; 3rd, Wong Son Man.

(10) 100 Metres Men and Ladies' Relay Race:—1st, Chau Siu Kam and Young Sau King; 2nd, Leung Wai Sang and Leung Wing Han; 3rd, Kwok Tuen Hang and Mok Suk Koon.

(11) Diving Exhibition:—1st, Lam Cho Chai; 2nd, Wong Wing Kit; 3rd, Young Tak Ming.

(12) Water Polo—S.C.A.A. v. Navy:—S.C.A.A. defeated Navy by 6 goals to 1.

U.S. BASEBALL

TUESDAY'S GAMES

(REUTER'S AMERICAN SERVICE.)

New York, Aug. 23.

SOME exciting games were witnessed in the American League to-day. At Washington, the close of the ninth inning found the Senators and the Indians tied, four runs each. A wonderful pitching duel broke up in the thirteenth, when the Senators forced a run across the plate.

McNair, Miller, Simmons and Cochran all hit home runs for the Athletics, who are making the most of their remote chance of overtaking the Yankees, who reversed yesterday's result against St. Louis after a keen hitting match. Lou Gehrig scored the winning run with a circuit clout.

Lee hit a home run for the Phillies, who played poorly against the potential National pennant winners.

Results:—

National League.

Chicago	5	8	0
Philadelphia	1	0	4
Pittsburg	4	8	1
New York	3	9	1
St. Louis	3	8	1
Boston	0	13	1

American League.

Boston	4	8	1
Detroit	5	13	1
New York	8	11	1
St. Louis	7	13	0
Philadelphia	15	14	1
Chicago	7	12	1
Washington	5	14	1
Cleveland	4	14	1

LEAGUE STANDINGS

National League.

Chicago	68	51	594
Pittsburg	64	56	533
Brooklyn	65	57	533
Boston	62	62	500
Philadelphia	61	63	492
St. Louis	59	62	488
New York	57	63	476
Cincinnati	53	72	424

American League.

New York	82	37	689
Philadelphia	74	48	607
Cleveland	70	51	578
Washington	67	53	558
Detroit	62	56	525
St. Louis	54	62	490
Chicago	37	81	314
Boston	31	80	258

SCHMELING TO MEET WALKER.

PRELIMINARY TO BOUT WITH SHARKEY.

New York, August 16.—Max Schmeling (Germany) will meet Micky Walker (U.S.A.) in a fifteen rounds contest on September 19 at the Madison Square Arena.

The winner will be matched with Jack Sharkey, heavyweight champion of the world, for the title, next June.

Schmeling, it will be remembered won, the title two years ago when he obtained the verdict on a foul in the fourth round against Sharkey. Last year he knocked out Young Stribling in the last of their 15-rounds contest. A few weeks ago he met Schmeling again, and lost on points, the decision being a very doubtful one.

Micky Walker, who has held both the welter and middleweight world's titles, renounced the latter to fight in the heavyweight division. In 1920 he beat several prominent heavies, and last year won five fights in as many months to work up for a match with Sharkey. He got this on July 22 and the verdict was a draw. He afterwards knocked out Jack Gagnon in the first round of their fight. He is placed fifth heavyweight in the world. He received a bad shock in June this year, when he was beaten in a gruelling fight with Johnny Rizzo.

LAWN BOWLS.

RECREIO TEAMS FOR SATURDAY.

The following players will represent Club do Recreio in Saturday's League Bowls matches:—

First Division v. Craigengower Cricket Club at 3.45 p.m. (Away):—J. M. M. Alves, R. R. Roberts, L. C. R. Souza and R. F. Luz (Skip). F. X. M. Silva, C. A. Lopes, E. M. Remedios and C. G. Silva (Skip).

L. A. Gutierrez, F. V. Ribeiro, A. S. Gomes and C. E. Marques (Skip).

Second Division v. Craigengower Cricket Club at 3.45 p.m. (Home):—D. C. Alves, P. A. Yvanovich, J. G. Ozorio and A. H. Basto (Skip).

F. Xavier, J. M. S. Rosario, J. J. Basto, and Dr. R. A. C. Basto (Skip).

B. Basto, A. E. S. Alves, C. H. Basto and H. A. Alves (Skip).

Talkoo Teams.

First Team v. K.B.G. (Home):—J. Russell, D. Bone, J. Polson and J. Chalmers (Skip).

J. Watson, A. Stalker, R. Koowo and W. Wotherspoon (Skip).

D. Peoples, W. Weir, J. Chapman and D. Munro (Skip).

Second Team v. K.B.G. (Away):—C. Summers, R. Wright, A. MacIndoe and S. Hope (Skip).

E. Greenwood, J. Waid, J. Sloan and H. McKechnie (Skip).

W. Brown, T. Currie, G. Stewart and G. McLeod (Skip).

Games to start at 3.30 p.m.

M.C.C.'S TOUR IN AUSTRALIA.

PROGRAMME TO BEGIN ON OCT. 21.

Some months ago a programme of the English cricket team's matches in Australia next season was submitted to England for approval, but owing to the desire of the M.C.C. that the tour should end in the Eastern States, so that the team might return home via New Zealand, the programme had to be re-drafted. This was done, and it was resubmitted to the M.C.C. The secretary of the Board of Control (Mr. W. H. Heansey) announced that it had been agreed to. The revised programme is as follows:—

Oct. 21 to 24.—V. Western Australia, at Perth.
Oct. 27 to 30.—V. a Combined team, at Perth.
Nov. 4 to 8.—V. South Australia, at Adelaide.
Nov. 11 to 15.—V. Victoria, at Melbourne.
Nov. 18 to 22.—V. An Australian Eleven, at Melbourne.
Nov. 25 to 29.—V. New South Wales, at Sydney.
Dec. 2 (until finished).—First Test, at Sydney.
Dec. 10 to 12.—V. Southern Districts of New South Wales, at Wagga.
Dec. 16 to 19.—V. Tasmania, at Launceston.
Dec. 23 to 26.—V. Tasmania, at Hobart.
Dec. 30.—Second Test, at Melbourne.
Jan. 7 to 9.—V. a Country team, at Geelong or Ballarat.
Jan. 13.—Third Test, at Adelaide.
Jan. 21 to 23.—V. a Country team, at Ballarat or Bendigo.
Jan. 26 to 30.—V. New South Wales, at Sydney.
Feb. 1 to 2.—V. Toowoomba, at Toowoomba.
Feb. 4 to 6.—V. Queensland, at Brisbane.
Feb. 10.—Fourth Test, at Brisbane.
Feb. 18 to 21.—V. Northern Districts of New South Wales, at Newcastle.
Feb. 23.—Fifth Test, at Sydney.
Mar. 3 to 7.—V. Victoria, at Melbourne.
Mar. 10 to 14.—V. South Australia, at Adelaide.

Objections Probable.

In announcing the dates of the matches of the next English team, at a meeting of the Victorian Cricket Association, the chairman of the Australian Board of Control (Dr. A. Robertson) said that it had been agreed to only after tedious discussion, and it might cause individual objections.

The president (Canon Hughes) said that he had seen the programme at a meeting of the New South Wales Cricket Association, to which he had been invited. The opinion he then expressed was that it was a "jolly rotten programme for Victoria."

TENNIS LEAGUE.

PORTUGUESE SCORE IN "B."

S.C.A.A. BEAT I.R.C. IN "C."

(By SALADIN.)

Two matches were decided in the Tennis League yesterday one in each of the "B" and "C" Divisions. The results do not affect the League Tables, but the various clubs engaged made efforts to complete their fixtures. In the "C" Division both the Indian Recreation Club and the South China Athletic Association, who met, played their last match, while in the "B" Division Recreio also completed their programme by engaging the Hong Kong Cricket Club who have now only one match outstanding. The details follow:—

"B" DIVISION.

H.K.C.C. v. RECREIO.

On their opponents' courts, the Recreio beat the Hong Kong Cricket Club comfortably by 5 sets. Bowker and Monaghan held the winners creditably and halved their sets, while F. J. Remedios and H. A. Barros returned the best score.

Scores:—
Bowker and Monaghan drew with A. Remedios and E. A. Noronha 6-6
lost to F. J. Remedios and H. A. Barros 1-6
Guterres 6-1
Nowers and Worrall drew with A. Remedios and E. A. Noronha 6-6
lost to F. J. Remedios and H. A. Barros 4-6
lost to C. A. Barretto and Dr. Guterres 5-7
Gordon and Lloyd lost to A. Remedios and E. A. Noronha 2-6
lost to F. J. Remedios and H. A. Barros 3-6
lost to C. A. Barretto and Dr. Guterres 5-7
H.K.C.C. 2 sets
Recreio 7 sets.

"C" DIVISION.

S.C.A.A. v. I.R.C.
At King's Park, the home team, South China, proved to be much too strong for the Indians who lost by the big margin of 7 sets.

Scores:—
E. H. Wong and F. Y. Mok beat S. A. R. Bux and M. P. Madar 6-1
beat M. R. Abbas and A. A. Rumjahn 6-3
beat A. M. Rumjahn and A. K. Sufiad 6-4
C. Y. Cho and T. N. Tsang beat S. A. R. Bux and M. P. Madar 6-4
lost to M. R. Abbas and A. A. Rumjahn 3-6
beat A. M. Rumjahn and A. K. Sufiad 6-2
H. K. Ho and N. C. Yung beat S. A. R. Bux and M. P. Madar 6-0
beat M. R. Abbas and A. A. Rumjahn 6-1
beat A. M. Rumjahn and A. K. Sufiad 6-1
S.C.A.A. 8 sets
I.R.C. 1 set.

SCOTTISH SOCCER

RANGERS DROP POINT TO CLYDE

(THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.)

LONDON, Aug. 23. GLASGOW Rangers dropped another valuable Scottish League point to-day, failing to overcome the Clyde. Results:—
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TELL ENGLAND

THE IMMORTAL EPIC OF
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TO-DAY TO SATURDAY
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a woman's heart—
in the talkie hit—The Man in
Possession

LOCAL HOCKEY.

R. SIGNALS BEAT R.A.S.C.

[By SALADIN.]

Judging by the interest taken by the Clubs which have joined the "Mamak" Hockey League, competition the forthcoming season bids fair to be exceptionally keen.

Despite the prevailing heat, another friendly match was played yesterday between the Royal Corps of Signallers and the R.A.S.C. on the Marina Ground which proved to be very fast and interesting. The former emerged winners by the odd goal in five. The winners showed up best in the first half when some good combination resulted in their netting three times, but after the change over the R.A.S.C. asserted themselves and scored twice.

Both teams, which entered for the same competition last year, gave indications of being capable of improvement, and should therefore give a good account of themselves in the coming tournament.

SIXTEEN MONTHS IN
CUSTODY.BANGKOK EUROPEAN WITH
NO BAIL MONEY.

Bangkok, Aug. 11.—An interesting case has just been decided in the Appeal Court. One of the men concerned had been in custody for 16 months and it is felt here that this is a glaring case strengthening the need for the speeding up of the administration of the law.

Two Europeans were charged by Berli, Jucker & Co. in the Criminal Court with the disclosure of private secrets entrusted to them in an official or professional way. One was acquitted and the other was fined \$200.

The prosecution appealed against the acquittal but the Appeal Court confirmed the decision. The other man, Mr. P. W. Klingensuss, was he manager of the export department of Berli, Jucker & Co., and the Criminal Court held that he was a professional man. Mr. Klingensuss appealed against his sentence and the Appeal Court dismissed the case against him, holding that he was not a professional man.

In this case the prosecution was entered 10 months ago. One man was given bail but Mr. Klingensuss was unable to find bail and had been in custody ever since.

TO-DAY AT THE
CINEMA.

HONG KONG.

Central.
"Murder in the Rue Morgue."
Queen's.
"Tell England."
King's.
"The Misleading Lady."
World.
"Hold Everything."
Oriental.
"Shadow of the Law."

KOWLOON.

Star.
"The Man in Possession."

COMING.

Central.
"To-Night or Never."
Queen's.
"Carnival."
King's.
"Lovers Courageous."
World.
"The Outsider."
"After To-morrow."
"This is the Night."

Star.
"Politics."
"Hottentot."
"Honky Tonk."

World.
"Montana Moon."
"Sporting Blood."
"Oh Sailor Behave."

Oriental.
"Rich Man's Folly."
"No one Man."

ALUMINIUM.

IMPORTANT PROBLEMS
SOLVED IN RUSSIA.

Leningrad, July 24.—The Leningrad research institutes have solved important problems connected with the production of aluminium in the Urals.

Recent geological surveys resulted in the discovery in the Urals of extensive deposits of high quality bauxite. The institute for aluminium research explored methods of extraction with simplified machinery and technological processes requiring smaller capital investments in the plants handling the ore.

The new methods will revolutionise aluminium production and, it is believed, set the Soviet Union far ahead of Europe and America in this field.—Tass Agency.

GOSSIP
&
FACT.

Myrna Vamps Maurice!

Myrna Loy and Chevalier in "Love Me To-night" is the return of the original vampire type, according to a consensus of opinion in Hollywood.

Following vogues of the gold-digger, the "understanding woman," the "it" girl, flappers and even crooning ladies, Miss Loy has revived the siren as screen follower. She knew this character when Theda Bara was in her glory, critics believe.

Tall and slender, with red hair and jade-green eyes, Miss Loy starts her lure in Maurice Chevalier's Paramount starring picture, "Love Me To-night," which Rouben Mamoulian is directing.

Her dancing training, she believes, taught her grace and the expressive use of her body.

A New Picture of Stars.
Maurice Chevalier is rapidly taking a place beside Charlie Chaplin as a "maker of stars." He usually has a word to say about who will play opposite him in his pictures and many of those he has chosen have gone on to success.

And Chevalier seems to have a better eye for talent than many of the casting directors.

A year and a half ago he picked unknown Frances Dee for his leading lady in "Playboy of Paris." This was the start that sent the young lady on to further laurels. In "The Smiling Lieutenant," he picked Miriam Hopkins.

Do You Think So.
Buddy Rogers' favourite rôle was "Wings," which really launched him on his career. Mary Pickford liked herself best as "Stella Maria." Greta Garbo chooses "Flesh and the Devil." John Gilbert, too. Norma Shearer was most pleased with "The Divorce." Lew Ayres, of course, felt that way about "All Quiet." Edward G. Robinson thought "Smart Money" was his best piece of work. Ruth Chatterton is partial to "Sarah and Son." Sylvia Sydney hopes to imitate "Street Scene." Estelle Taylor cherishes thoughts of "Dom Juan." And John Barrymore has a fondness for "The Sea Beast."

Constance as a Comedienne.
Constance Bennett celebrated her twenty-seventh birthday by sport-

ing a lovely ruby and diamond bracelet, also a birthday cake and a room full of flowers from Ned Griffith, director of her new picture, "Lady With a Past." By the way, the Pathe studios have discovered that Connie has a flair for comedy, and she will not be seen any more as a tearful, betrayed lady complete with baby in the background.

Have You Heard.

That gagmaster Mack Sennett is preparing to put forth his greatest masterpiece? He will direct it in person. He has decided that all the world wants is a good laugh, and he'll provide it.

That Violet Heming, who appeared in pictures way back in the silent days, has been working in talkies at the Metro studio!

That in filling out a recent "confession," Clark Gable admitted that his central ambition was "to retire young and travel!"

That Lilyan Tashman is the youngest of seven sisters?

That Stuart Walker, who gave Kay Francis her first stage part in his Indianapolis stock company, is directing her in the Paramount picture, "The False Madonna"?

That Noah Beery, Jun., will star in a series of Westerns?

British Actor's Success.
Cyril Raymond, the young British film actor who can be seen as the faithful lover of Anne Grey in "The Happy Ending," is fast becoming a favourite with filmgoers. He is a versatile actor, and lately took the part of the detective in "Condemned to Death," the film from "Jack O' Arthur Wontner starred.

Mickey Makes a Hit.
When Douglas Fairbanks was cruising around the South Seas preparing to "shoot" his new picture he managed to get on friendly terms with the natives, by giving them free cinema shows.

Few of his audiences have ever been films before, but their reactions indicate that cinema taste is inherent. The most popular item was "Polynesian" filmgoers was Mickey Mouse. So Doug. wireless his Hollywood agents to have all the recent adventures of Mickey rushed to him by the first fast steamer.

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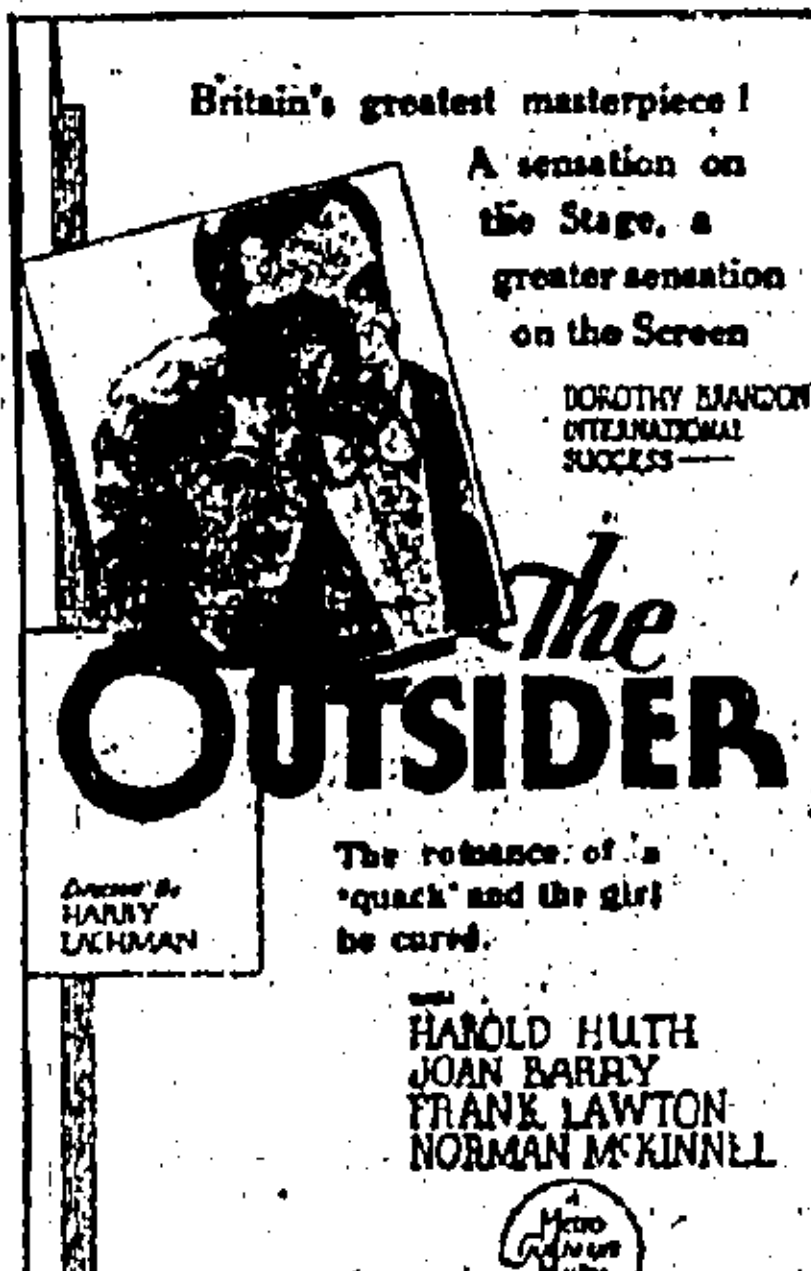
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"TELL ENGLAND."

EPIC PICTURE AT THE
QUEEN'S.

"Tell England" now showing at the Queen's Theatre is a graphically portrayed British version of the hostilities which took place at Gallipoli during the World War. The opening scene is in rural England, and here we are introduced to the two leading players, Carl Harbord, as Edgar Doc, and Tony Bruce, as Rupert Ray. We trace them through their school-days to August, 1914, when they enlist for service. Their ultimate arrival at Gallipoli, and the un-nerving experiences through which they pass form the vital interest of the picture.

The battles and bombardments depicted in this phase are realistically and grippingly carried out, while the reactions of the two boys to this new environment provides them both with the opportunity of playing a difficult part really well. The number of supporting characters, however, is rather small. We see just a little too much of Ray and Doc together—usually under dramatic circumstances. A little trench-humor is provided in the earlier stages by the respective batmen and one or two orderlies.

The big moment of the whole picture occurs when the two boys lead their men over the top in an attack on a big gun placement. This part is exceptionally well treated, and the roaring of cannon, the spattering of machine-gun fire, and the smoke and dust from exploding shrapnel together with the cries of men going to their deaths, all combine to make this scene most realistic.

The climax is provided when, after accomplishing the object of the attack, Doc is shot down, and dies in hospital in the company of his pal. After the last British soldier has left the Peninsula at the conclusion of the war, a German officer, strolling along the old British lines, comes upon a small group of graves. Over Doc's grave he reads the inscription—"Tell England we who pass this monument—We died for her and here we rest content."

"LOVERS
COURAGEOUS."NEXT CHANGE AT THE
QUEEN'S.

A trade notice states:—
Robert Montgomery runs the gamut of many callings in "Lovers Courageous," his latest starring vehicle which will be shown on Sunday at the Queen's Theatre. In the beginning of the story, which was written especially for Montgomery by the noted English writer, Frederick Lonsdale, the star is shown as a disheartened youth who rebels against being tutored for the job of post-office clerk.

He runs away from home and becomes a sailor. Next he is a hotel porter; then a window washer. After then he is a cowboy and then a tobacco-curer's assistant. He ultimately becomes a play-wright.

Madge Evans has the feminine lead in this picture and the cast also includes Roland Young, Frederick Kerr, Reginald Owen and Deryl Mercer.

"SHADOW OF THE
LAW."TENSE DRAMA AT
ORIENTAL.

A trade notice states:—
If you're of the ten million people who found the ultimate in thrills in William Powell's portrayal in "Street of Chance," you're still to experience the greatest of the Powell characterizations in "Shadow of the Law" now showing at the Oriental Theatre.

"Shadow of the Law" is a new type of picture for Powell. This role gives him none of the sophisticated superiority of the Philo Vance portrayals. Nor does it impose a sinister glow. The Powell of "Shadow of the Law" is a quiet-living engineer drawn into a web of circumstances which land him in prison. The story is packed with drama, excitement, unusual and novel scenes, rounded, human characterizations, really great acting and solid entertainment.

Innocent, Powell is convicted of a murder, sentenced for life; desperate, he breaks out of prison in a thrilling escape, establishes a new identity, meets romance, fugitive from justice, he cannot declare his love, tracked down, he takes a daring, thrilling chance, proves his innocence, assures his happiness.

That's the story of "Shadow of the Law" in brief. But it doesn't tell anything of the gripping drama, the heart-breaking suspense, the heart-throbbing happiness that's wrapped up in this film.

The cast includes two women well worth seeing: Marion Shilling, a comparative newcomer, recently signed by Paramount, and Natalie Moorhead, the blonde beauty who won acclaim in "The Benson Murder Case." Regis Toomey, seen with Powell in "Street of Chance," has a strong rôle in "Shadow of the Law."



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"THE MISLEADING
LADY."PLEASANT COMEDY AT THE
KING'S.

In a comprehensive and impartial evaluation of sweet dispositions held by screen actresses, that pleasant manner of Claudette Colbert's would be among the last to be classed as mutinous.

And yet in the course of production on the Paramount New York set for "The Misleading Lady," in which she co-stars with Edmund Lowe at the King's Theatre to-day, it was the congenial "unscandalized" brunette who was technically charged with inciting to riot.

One of the scenes in the pictures calls for Lowe to throw an overcoat over Miss Colbert's head, and carry her, kicking and clawing, out of the room.

The director, Stuart Walker, was anxious to get this piece of action perfect. So anxious was he, that the lunch came and slipped by without anyone noticing. Every one but Claudette, we should say.

As Miss Colbert came on the set for the fourth "take," she remarked, "I'm hungry." An electrician perched on top of the set framework yelled, "So am I!"

The property man picked up the phrase. He was followed by the cameramen and sound men and it wasn't a split minute after Claudette's first mention of hunger that the upper stage of the studio resounded with a chorus of "So am I's."

There was nothing for walker to do but call, lunch.

The first shot after-lunch proved to be the best of the lot, thereby justifying Claudette's mutinous action.

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"THE OUTSIDER."

NEXT CHANGE AT KING'S.

A trade notice states:—

Shakespeare was right when he said "the whirligig of time brings its revenge" for "The Outsider," the film version of Dorothy Brandon's international stage success, which Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer will present to the King's Theatre on next Sunday, gives an outstanding proof of the truth of this statement.

Joan Barry, who plays the rôle of Lalande, made her debut in talking pictures by being heard but not seen, when she supplied the voice for Anny Ondra in Alfred Hitchcock's "Blackmail," and now, in her first big talkie rôle, in one portion of it she is seen but not heard. The sequence in which this happens is the one where the heroine sits up in bed and sobs pitifully.

The emotional effect of Joan Barry's acting was heightened by the soft music of Beethoven's "Moonlight Sonata," which accompanies the scene—one of the cleverest uses to which music has been put since sound was introduced. When the scene was originally filmed, however, no musical accompaniment was used and it was only when viewing it on the studio screen that the producer decided to introduce music.

This meant a new sound track, Joan Barry, the original sobber, was far away busy with her part in the stage play "The Barretts of Wimpole Street." As the missing sounds of sorrow were urgent the studios were hastily combed for an actress to sob on her behalf.

Mary Clara, who plays Mrs. Const, sobbed herself into real tears before it was discovered that her sobs were too contralto in tone to fit in with Joan Barry's voice. Finally Dodo Waits was asked to assist just before she was going to the restaurant for lunch.

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SWATOW & SHANGHAI	On 2nd Sept. 2 p.m.
SWATOW, SHANGHAI & TIENTSIN	On 4th Sept. 3 p.m.
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ROYAL OBSERVATORY'S DAILY WEATHER REPORT.

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Taiho	...	29.69	758.0	81	N	4	bc	...	...	29.63	752.5	76	...	NE	2	c	...	...	...
Taihu	...	29.65	755.0	82	NNW	2	...	...	...	29.69	751.7	81	...	NW	4	c	...	...	...
Tainan	...	29.61	752.2	86	NW	2	...	...	...	29.59	750.7	81	...	N	2	c	...	...	...
Koshun	...	29.67	755.5	86	N	4	b	...	...	29.67	751.0	81	...	N	2	c	...	...	...
Pescadore	...	29.70	754.4	85	SW	3	a	...	...	29.68	753.8	84	...	WNW	4	c	...	...	...
Gap Rock	...	29.72	754.4	84	WSW	3	c	...	...	29.68	753.8	84	...	NNW	2	c	...	...	...
Macao	...	29.69	754.1	91	SW	2	c	...	...	29.66	753.3	77	4	NNW	2	c	...	...	...
Holow	...	29.76	755.9	91	NW	2	b	...	...	29.66	753.3	77	4	NNW	2	c	...	...	...
Pratas Island	...	29.71	754.7	91	W	1	p	...	...	29.66	753.3	77	4	NNW	2	c	...	...	...
Phulion	...	29.70	754.4	79	W	1	p	...	...	29.66	753.3	77	4	NNW	2	c	...	...	...
Pourane	...	29.68	753.8	83	SE	2	b	...	...	29.73	755.1	78	8	NW	1	c	...	...	...
Uape St. James	...	29.77	760.1	91	S	2	b	...	...	29.82	757.3	79	8	NW	1	c	...	...	...
Basco	...	29.69	753.8	85	SW	6	c	...	...	29.66	753.3	81	6	S	2	c	...	...	...
Apurri	...	29.64	752.3	91	N	4	c	...	...	29.66	753.3	81	6	S	2	c	...	...	...
Lugueguro	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Vigan	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Manila	...	29.72	754.3	91	WSW	4	bc	...	...	29.70	755.8	76	8	...	...	...	...	...	...
Legaspi	...	29.68	754.0	91	SW	4	b	...	...	29.73	755.2	79	8	...	...	...	...	...	...
Calbayog	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Macloban	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Ililo	...	29.71	754.3	91	SSW	4	bc	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Coebu	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Surigao	...	29.71	754.3	91	S	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Saipan	...	11.00	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Guam	...	12.22	29.73	755.2	8	SE	2	bc	4.22	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Yap	...	11.00	29.77	756.1	8	NE	4	bc	5	29.83	757.7	...	6	SE	2	bc	...	...	...
Pelew	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Labuan	...	14	29.95	760.8	86	SW	6	bc	...	29.91	759.7	72	4	W	8	bc	...	...	...

August 23d. 17h. 50m.—A severe typhoon within 60 miles of Lat. 27° N. Long. 126° E., moving W.N.W.
 August 24d. 9h. 45m.—A severe typhoon within 60 miles of Lat. 27° N. Long. 124° E., moving W.
 August 24d. 9h. 45m.—Pressure is highest to the north-east of Hakkaido. The typhoon is situated about 250 miles E.N.E. of Fochow, moving W. or W.N.W.
 Hong Kong rainfall for the 24 hours ending at 10 a.m. to-day, 0.01 inch. Total since January 1, 69.46 inches, against an average of 63.26 inches.

Manila warning, 23d. 15h. 00m.—Typhoon in Lat. 26° N. Long. 129° E., moving W. Recd. 23d. 15h. 36m.
 Shanghai warning, 24d. 9h. 19m.—A severe typhoon within 60 miles of Lat. 27° N. Long. 124° E., moving W.N.W. Recd. 24d. 9h. 26m.

FORECAST FOR THE 24 HOURS ENDING AT NOON ON AUGUST 24:

Forecast:
 A.—Shanghai to Turnabout: Cyclonic gales may be expected between Fochow and Wenchow.
 B.—Turnabout to Hong Kong: N. to W. winds, fresh to strong; cloudy, squally rain.
 C.—Hong Kong to Gap Rock: Westerly winds, moderate to fresh; fair generally with local rain.
 D.—Hong Kong to Hainan Straits: Westerly winds, moderate to fresh; fair generally with local rain.
 E.—North China Sea: Westerly winds, moderate to fresh; fair generally with local rain.

C. W. JEFFRIES, Director.

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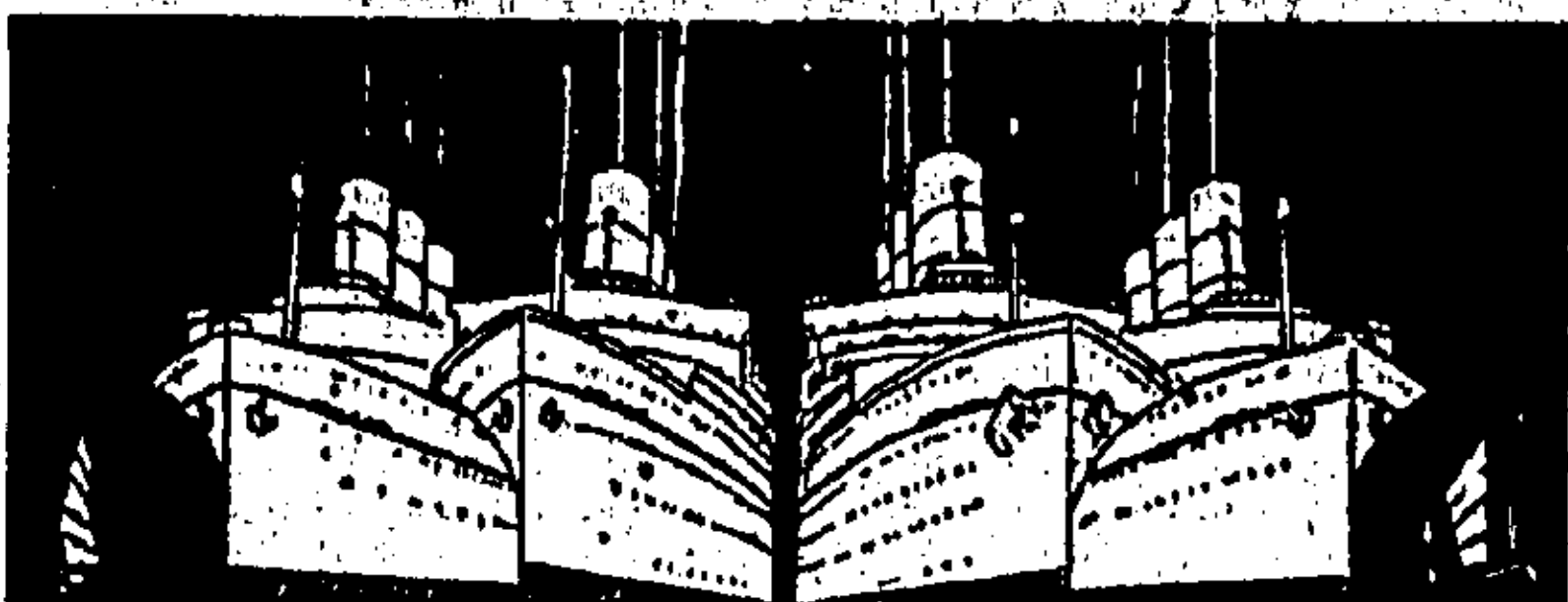
Hong Kong Observatory, August 24.			
Previous Day	On Date at 4 p.m.	On Date at 10 a.m.	On Date at 4 p.m.
Barometer...	29.87	29.70	29.59
Temperature	87	84	83
Humidity...	70	80	72
Wind—			
Direction	W	WSW	W
Force	BC	BC	BC
Weather	0.00	0.00	0.01
Rain...	0.00	0.00	0.01
Highest open-air Temperature, 23.83			
Lowest open-air Temperature, 24.81			

B=Blue sky; C=Cloudy; D=Drizzle; F=Fog; L=Lightning; M=Mist; O=Overcast; P=Passing Showers; Q=Squalls; R=Rain; T=Thunder.

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Emp. of Canada	Sept. 23	Sept. 26	Sept. 28	Sept. 30	Oct. 1	Oct. 6	Oct. 11
Emp. of Russia	Oct. 7	Oct. 10	Oct. 11	Oct. 13	Oct. 15	Oct. 18	Oct. 24
Emp. of Japan	Oct. 21	Oct. 24	Oct. 25	Oct. 27	Oct. 28	Nov. 3	Nov. 8
Emp. of Asia	Nov. 4	Nov. 7	Nov. 8	Nov. 10	Nov. 12	Nov. 15	Nov. 21
Emp. of Canada	Nov. 15	Nov. 18	Nov. 20	Nov. 22	Nov. 23	Dec. 1	Dec. 6
Emp. of Russia	Dec. 2	Dec. 5	Dec. 6	Dec. 8	Dec. 10	Dec. 13	Dec. 19

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Daily Statement, Clearances,
Ships in Harbour, etc.

YESTERDAY'S FREIGHT RETURNS.

IMPORTS 3,971 TONS;
THROUGH PORTS
20,274 TONS.

The returns, shown at the Harbour Office, of vessels carrying cargo to the Colony during the 24 hours ended at 9 a.m. yesterday were:—

British	Cargo for H.K.	Through Ports
Kidderpore, Shanghai	18	3,873
Kingyuan, Swatow	405	1,100
Glenluc, Keelung	1	5,200
Takada, Singapore	1,835	1,234
Hydrangea, Swatow	100	—
Kiungchow, Hoihow	450	600
	—	2,860—11,707
Dutch.		
Van Heutz, Swatow	—	485
	—	—
Norwegian.		
Hai King, Swatow	10	230
	—	10—250
Japanese.		
Santos Maru, Kobe	18	3,711
Hakodate Maru, Singapore	728	2,760
Sushan Maru, Swatow	—	1
Deli Maru, Canton	328	—
	—	1,072—6,462
Chinese.		
Dorry Canton, Swatow	—	1,300
Stanley, Swatow	20	—
	—	20—
Total	3,971	20,274

ARRIVALS AND DEPARTURES.

The arrivals and departures during the period under review were:—	
British	9
Dutch	1
Norwegian	1
Japanese	4
Chinese	2
American	0
Total	14

ASIATIC DECK PASSENGERS.

The following vessels brought Asiatic deck passengers to the Colony during the 24 hours ended at 9 a.m. yesterday:—

Arr.	Dep.
Kidderpore (British), Shanghai	1
Kingyuan (British), Shanghai	306
Swatow	—
Takada (British), Dairen	803
Keelung	—
Hydrangea (British), Swatow	300
Kiungchow (British), Hoihow	148
Van Heutz (Dutch), Amoy	—
Swatow	68
Stanley (Chinese), Swatow	231
Total	2,045

SHIPS IN HARBOUR.

The following merchant vessels were in harbour yesterday:—

Wharves.
Kowloon:—Takada, Empress of Japan.
O.S.K.:—Deli Maru, Canton Maru.
Douglas Lapraik:—Haiching.
Saikong:—Wing Wo.
Docks.
Kowloon:—Limchow, Hiye Maru, Hirundo, Juno.
Cosmopolitan:—Gusta Diederichsen.
Buoys.
No. A1.—Taiyo Maru.
No. A2.—Kidderpore.
No. A3.—Pleasantville.
No. A5.—Kiangsu.
No. A6.—Seattle.
No. A7.—Santos Maru.
No. A8.—Tjisadane.
No. A14.—Hothong.
No. A15.—Van Heutz.
No. B1.—Sui Sang.
No. B2.—Chaksang.
No. B4.—Apocoy.
No. B5.—Hai King.
No. B9.—Bintang.
No. B11.—Arden.
No. B14.—Kueichow.
No. B15.—Kiungchow.
No. B20.—Szechuen.
No. B22.—Hin Sang.
No. B23.—Tenkai Maru.
No. B24.—Cape St. Columba.
No. C1.—Graciosa.

WARSHIPS IN PORTS.

The following warships were in port yesterday:—

Basin:—Tamar.
North Wall:—Tarentula.
East Wall:—Cicala.
South Wall:—Wishart, Whitehall.
West Wall:—Folkestone.
North Arm:—Wren.
Dock:—Oswald, Phoenix Parthian.

CLEARANCES.

August 24.
Cape St. Columba, for Manila.
Chaksang, for Swatow.
Daviken, for Canton.
Hakodate Maru, for Shanghai.
Ixion, for Seattle.
Kidderpore, for Singapore.
Plume, for Shanghai.
Seattle, for Manila.
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Szechuen, for Canton.
Taiyuan, for Amoy.
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"MAIWA"	11,000	10th Sept.	Bombay, Marseilles and London.
"RANCHI"	11,000	24th Sept.	Bombay, Marseilles and London.
"CANTHAGE"	14,000	1st Oct.	Bombay, Marseilles and London.
"SOMALI"	6,800	15th Oct.	Marseilles, London, Havre, H'g. R'm., A'werp. & Hull.
"NALDERA"	16,000	22nd Oct.	Bombay, Marseilles and London.
"RAJPUTANA"	17,000	5th Nov.	Bombay, Marseilles and London.
"BANGALORE"	4,600	12th Nov.	Bombay, Marseilles, London, Havre, H'g. R'm., A'werp. & Hull.
"CORFU"	15,000	19th Nov.	Bombay, Marseilles and London.
"COMORIN"	10,000	3rd Dec.	Bombay, Marseilles and London.
"BHUTAN"	6,000	10th Dec.	Bombay, Marseilles, London, Havre, H'g. R'm., A'werp. & Hull.
"BANDURA"	17,000	17th Dec.	Bombay, Marseilles and London.
"KALKAJI-HIND"	18,000	31st Dec.	do.
"SOUDAN"	6,800	7th Jan.	B'way, Marseilles, London, Havre, H'g. R'm., A'werp. & Hull.
"RANCHI"	17,000	14th Jan.	Bombay, Marseilles and London.
"CANTHAGE"	14,000	28th Jan.	do.
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"TAKADA"	7,000	30th Aug. 6 a.m.	Amoy, S'hai, Mei, Kobe & Osaka.
"NOVAHA"	7,000	2nd Sept.	S'hai, Mei, Kobe & Y'ama.
"NANKIN"	7,000	5th Sept.	S'hai, Mei, Kobe, Osaka & Y'ama.
"SOMALI"	6,800	8th Sept.	S'hai, Mei, Kobe & Yokohama.
"SIRIDANA"	8,000	11th Sept.	S'hai, Mei, Kobe & Y'ama.
"CANTHAGE"	14,000	14th Sept.	S'hai, Mei, Kobe & Yokohama.
"NAGAWA"	10,000	17th Sept.	S'hai, Mei, Kobe & Osaka.
"NALDERA"	16,000	20th Sept.	S'hai, Mei, Kobe & Yokohama.
"BANGALORE"	4,600	23rd Sept.	S'hai, Mei, Kobe & Yokohama.
"TALMA"	7,000	26th Sept.	Amoy, Mei, Kobe & Yokohama.
"RAJPUTANA"	17,000	29th Sept.	S'hai, Mei, Kobe & Yokohama.
"SANTHIA"	8,000	2nd Oct.	Amoy, S'hai, Mei, Kobe & Osaka.
"CORFU"	15,000	5th Oct.	S'hai, Mei, Kobe & Yokohama.
"BHUTAN"	6,000	8th Oct.	do.
"COMORIN"	10,000	11th Oct.	do.
"BANDURA"	17,000	14th Oct.	S'hai, Mei, Kobe & Yokohama.
"KALKAJI-HIND"	18,000	17th Oct.	Shanghai, Kobe & Yokohama.
"RANCHI"	17,000	20th Oct.	do.
"CANTHAGE"	14,000	23rd Oct.	do.
"NALDERA"	16,000	26th Oct.	S'hai, Mei, Kobe & Yokohama.
"RAJPUTANA"	17,000	29th Oct.	Shanghai, Kobe & Y'ama.
"CORFU"	15,000	1st Nov.	do.
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"NAGARA"	30th Oct.	1st Oct.

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M.V.	From Hongkong (about)	Destination
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NGAI SZE YAN, Manager.

HONG KONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

Authorized Capital \$50,000,000
Issued & Fully Paid-up \$20,000,000
Reserve Funds \$20,000,000
Sterling \$10,000,000
Silver \$10,000,000

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Hong Kong, 5th April, 1932. [30]

HONG KONG SAVINGS BANK.

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For the Hong Kong & Shanghai Banking Corporation,
V. M. GRAYBURN, Chief Manager.
Hong Kong, 27th Feb., 1932. [9]

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A. STOKKINK, Manager.

Hong Kong, 21st June, 1932. [30]

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Head Office: HONG KONG.

Hong Kong Currency.
Authorized Capital \$1,000,000.
Paid-up Capital \$885,000.
Reserve Fund 1,100,000.

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FOREIGN EXCHANGE and General Banking Business transacted.
CURRENT ACCOUNTS opened and FIXED DEPOSITS received for one year or shorter periods at rates which will be quoted on application.

A. H. FERGUSON, Manager.

Hong Kong, July 1st, 1932. [30]

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Special Working Capital 50,000,000
Reserves 33,337,000

Branches: Paris, Lyon, Marseille, Saigon, Haiphong, Hanoi, Tourane, Quinhon, Hue, Vinh, Pnom Penh, Peiping, Shanghai, Tientsin, Hong Kong.

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A. L. BRUSSET, Acting Manager.

Hong Kong, 9th March, 1932.

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SHOU J. CHEN, Manager.

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(Established 1917.)

Head Office: SINGAPORE
Local Branch: 13, Queen's Rd. C.

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Issued \$8,000,000
Paid-up \$4,000,000
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Every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted.

KO LEONG HOE, Managing Director.

THE BANK OF EAST ASIA, LTD.

ESTABLISHED 1918.

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Every description of Banking Accounts and Exchange business transacted.

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Authorized Capital £3,000,000
Subscribed Capital £1,800,000
Paid-up Capital £1,050,000
Reserve Fund and Res. £1,917,997

BANKERS: THE BANK OF ENGLAND and MIDLAND BANK, LTD.

Branches: Batavia, Bandoeng, Bencoolen, Bonabai, Calcutta, Ceylon, Djember, Djibouti, Hongkong, Kanton, Kobe, London, Lyons, Manilla, Medan, Palembang, Penang, Peking, Rangoon, Rotterdam, Singapore, Soerabaya, Soerabaya (Sch), Tientsin, Yokohama, etc.

Every description of Banking and Exchange Business transacted.
Travelers Cheques issued.
Trust and Executorship undertaken.

Interest allowed on Current Accounts and Fixed Deposits at rates that may be ascertained on application.

J. B. ROSS, Manager.

7, Queen's Road Central, Hong Kong, 7th April, 1932. [29]

THE YOKOHAMA SPECIE BANK, LIMITED.

Capital (fully paid up) Yen 100,000,000
Reserve Fund Yen 117,300,000

Head Office: YOKOHAMA.

Branches and Agencies AT: Alexandria, Honolulu, Rio de Janeiro, Batavia, Kai Yuen, Samsung, Berlin, Kobe, Soerabaya, Bombay, London, San Francisco, Calcutta, Los Angeles, Seattle, Canton, Manila, Soerabaya, Changchun, Nagasaki, Singapore, Dairen, Nanking, Shimonoseki, Fungtien, Newchwang, Hankow, New York, Sydney, Harbin, Peking, Tientsin, Tokyo, Peiping, Tientsin.

Interest allowed on Current Accounts and Fixed Deposits at rates that may be ascertained on application.

H. MOBI, Manager.

Hong Kong, Mar. 11, 1932. [25]

FOREIGN MAILS

Mails can now be forwarded to Europe via Siberia.

Information has been received from the Japanese Post Office that the Siberian mails held up by floods in Manchuria have now been diverted from the Chinese Eastern Railway and forwarded by the Northern Route to Vladivostok. They will arrive in Kobe on the 26th and should reach Hong Kong about September 2nd. The homeward mail is forwarded by the Northern route from Vladivostok but no such interruption has occurred. This route however gives a weekly instead of the normal bi-weekly service and the time of transit is several days longer.
The next mail to Europe via Siberia will be sent by the s.s. Empress of Japan on the 28th. This mail will proceed via Kobe, Tsuanga and Vladivostok.

SAIGON-MARSEILLES AIR MAIL SERVICES.

Letters will be accepted for transmission by the above-mentioned Air Mail Service to the destinations specified. Registered letters may be sent by this service but not insured letters.
The rates charged will be the regular postage rate plus the special air mail premium as indicated in the following table:—

Destination	Charge Rate per 1/2 ounce.
Saigon-Marseilles Air Mail Service.	
Siam (Bangkok)	\$ 0.15
Burma (Rangoon)	0.25
India (Calcutta)	0.35
Persia (Djask)	0.75
Persia (Bushire)	0.55
Iraq (Bagdad)	0.65
Palestine (Beirouth)	1.05
Greece (Athens)	1.20
Italy (Naples)	1.35
France (Marseilles)	1.35
Great Britain & Irish Free State (London) ..	1.35
Europe, other countries (Marseilles for onward transmission by rail)	1.35

The air mail for each country will be landed at the place named in brackets.

Letters will be despatched fortnightly by the French Mail steamers scheduled to connect at Saigon with the Air Mail. As the Air Mail Service is weekly other vessels if available will be used in intervening weeks.

Letters for this route should be marked "Saigon-Marseilles Air Service" and handed in at the G.P.O. or howloon Post Office.

Letters and postcards for Europe and South America are forwarded "via Siberia" if so inscribed.

INWARD MAILS.

From	Per	Date
JAPAN	Gladius	25th Aug.
JAPAN	Atsuta Maru	26th Aug.
JAPAN and SHANGHAI	Bangpa	26th Aug.
U.S.A., CANADA, JAPAN and SHANGHAI	Pres. Jefferson	26th Aug.
(Sailed, 6th August)	Sungny	27th Aug.
SHANGHAI and SWATOW	Dardanus	27th Aug.
STRAITS	Pyrrhus	27th Aug.
MANILA	Ira, Grant	27th Aug.
JAPAN	Somalia	27th Aug.
SAIGON	Athos II	27th Aug.
JAPAN and SHANGHAI	Portos	27th Aug.
CANAD., U.S.A., JAPAN and SHANGHAI	Empress of Asia	31st Aug.
(Vancouver B.C., 18th August)	Tonda	31st Aug.
JAPAN	Atsuta Maru	2nd Sept.
JAPAN and SHANGHAI	Yamamoto Maru	2nd Sept.
JAPAN and SHANGHAI	Fushimi Maru	2nd Sept.
STRAITS	Atsuta Maru	2nd Sept.
U.S.A., HONOLULU, JAPAN and SHANGHAI	Pres. Monroe	2nd Sept.
HAI (San Francisco, 5th August)	Somali	5th Sept.
LONDON Parcels only, London, 28th July		

OUTWARD MAILS.

REGISTERED and PARCEL MAILS are closed 15 minutes earlier than the time given below unless otherwise stated, and where mails are advertised to close at or before 9 a.m. registered and parcel mails are closed at 5 p.m. on the previous day.

For	Per	Date and Time
Hoihow, Pakhoi and Haiphong	Unga Henri Riviere	Thursday, 25th, 8.30 a.m.
Shanghai and Japan	Sungny	Parcels 9.00 a.m.
Amoy and Formosa via Swatow	Atsuta Maru	Letters 10.00 a.m.
Saigon, Ceylon, India, Mauritius, East and South Africa, and "South" American Ports	Santos Maru	10.30 a.m.
Straits	Van Heutsz	10.30 a.m.
Fort Bayard	Wing Ho	11.30 a.m.
Bangkok	Gustav Diederichsen	12.30 p.m.
Swatow	Hydrangea	2.00 p.m.
Amoy	Kiangchow	3.30 p.m.
Amoy	Kiangchow	5.00 p.m.
Shanghai, Japan, Honolulu, Canada, U.S.A., Central and South America and "EUROPE" via Vancouver, B.C., due Vancouver, B.C., 13th September and "EUROPE" via Siberia	Emp. of Japan	Par. 25th, 5.00 p.m. Reg. 26th, 9.15 a.m. Letters 10.00 a.m.
Hoihow, Pakhoi and Haiphong	Kingyuan	Friday, 26th, 12.30 p.m.
Swatow, Amoy and Fouchow	Hai Uing	1.00 p.m.
Straits, Ceylon, India, Mauritius, East and South Africa, Aden, Egypt and "EUROPE" via Marseilles—due Marseilles, 28th September	Kangpa	Par. 26th, 4.30 p.m. Reg. 27th, 9.00 a.m. Letters 10.10 a.m.
Swatow, Amoy and Formosa	Canlon Maru	Par. 26th, 5.00 p.m. Reg. 27th, 9.45 a.m. Letters 10.30 a.m.
Bangkok via Swatow	Kiangchi	Saturday, 27th, 8.30 a.m.
Shanghai, Japan, Canada, U.S.A., "Central and South America" and "EUROPE" via Vancouver, B.C., due Vancouver, B.C., 19th Sept.	Hiye Maru	Reg. 28th, 4.15 p.m. Letters 5.00 p.m.
Shanghai, Japan, Honolulu, U.S.A., Canada, C. and S. America, and "EUROPE" via San Francisco—due San Francisco, 20th September	Pres. Grant	Par. 28th, 5.00 p.m. Reg. 29th, 9.00 p.m. Let. 30th, 8.30 a.m.
Batavia	Tjikabang	Sunday, 28th, 10.30 a.m.
Letters for "Saigon-Marseilles Air Mail Service"	Portos	Reg. 28th, 11.00 a.m. Letters 11.00 a.m. G.P.O. Letters Noon

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